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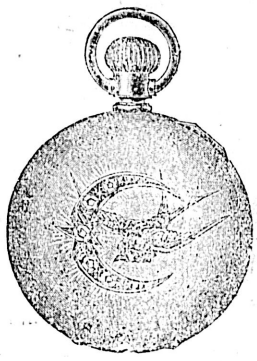

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The Annual Ball of the N. and S. Saanich Agricultural Society will take place on the evening of FRIDAY, MAY 11. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Tickets for lady and gentleman, $1.50, including supper. Music by a city band.
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BEG PARDON! But we are selling clothing, furnishing goods, etc., at very low prices, and want you to know it. Cameron, the Cash Clothier, 55 Johnson street. my6-1t

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We beg to tender our sincere thanks to the Fire Department for the prompt way in which they answered the alarm and extinguished, at a small loss, what might have been a very disastrous fire at The Westside last night.
We also extend our thanks to the friends who so kindly assisted in removing goods.
J. HUTCHESON & CO.
Victoria, May 6, 1894. my6-1t

VICTORIA CHORAL SOCIETY. FIRST CONCERT in the Institute Hall, View street, on Wednesday, May 9th, 1894. Conductor, Mr. W. Edgar Buck; accompanist, Miss Agnes Dawson, R.A.M.
PART I.
"THE ERL-KING'S DAUGHTER," by Niels W. Gade. Soloists—Miss Heathfield, Mrs. Rickaby, Mr. J. G. Brown.
PART II.
Part Song—"The Belfry Tower" (S.A.T.B.) ..... Hatton
Victoria Choral Society.
Chorus—"The Lost Chord" (S.S.A.A) ..... Anderson-Sullivan
The Ladies of the Choral Society.
Violin Solo—"Allegro Appassionato" ..... Mendelssohn
Mr. Victor Austin.
Duet—"L'Addio" ..... Donizetti
Miss Nellie Devereux, Mr. W. Edgar Buck.
Part Song—"The Cruiskeen Lawn" (S.A.T.B.) ..... Sir R. H. Stewart
Victoria Choral Society.
Piano Solo—"Impromptu Brillante" Rubinstein
Miss Agnes Dawson.
Trio—"The Gipsies' Laughing Song" .... Glover
Mrs. D. R. Harris, Miss Jameson, Mr. W. E. Buck
Chorus—"The Miller's Wooing" (S.A.T.B.). ..... Eaton Faning
The Victoria Choral Society.
God Save the Queen. my6

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Tuesday and Wednesday, May 8 and 9.
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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the Matter of the Winding-Up Act and Amending Acts,

And in the Matter of the Victoria Iron Works Company, Limited.

The time for settling the list of contributories and adjudicating upon the claims of creditors of the Company has been enlarged to Friday, May 11th, at 11 a.m., and the place appointed is Mr. Justice Drake's Chambers, at the Law Courts, Victoria.
May 5th, 1894.
HARVEY COMBE,
my6-5t Deputy Registrar.

A Complete Victory.

TO THE PUBLIC:—In response to my challenge published in both daily papers a few days ago, a person signing himself John R. Evort, caused to be published in the Daily Times a card announcing his acceptance of my challenge.
I published in this morning's COLONIST (Friday) a request that Mr. Evort meet me, to arrange for the debate, at 6 p.m. at the office of that paper. Promptly on time I was at the meeting place. Mr Evort did not show up.
I have every reason to believe that no such person as John R. Evort exists at all, and this was nothing but a big bluff on the part of rival agents.
I think I can, with entire consistency, announce a complete victory for the Massachusetts Benefit Life Association over its defamers.
In conclusion I wish to state, however, that there are several Life Insurance Agents in this city who have taken no part whatever in the attack against the company which I represent. These gentlemen have my deepest respect.
My challenge was issued particularly to those agents who have been active in decrying our company in this city. That they have failed dismally in their purpose I think the public can plainly see.
Very Respectfully,
G. G. BIGGER,
Provincial Manager Massachusetts Benefit Life Association. my5-1t

NORTHERN PACIFIC.

Reported Skedaddle of Directors Under the Old Villard Regime—Suspicious Circumstances.

Sensational Evidence Expected—Remarkable Letter in Regard to One of Its Branches.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The Tribune yesterday expressed the opinion that a panic has been developed among the members of the old Villard combination in the Northern Pacific Railway. The present direction, it is said, charges that the old management was tainted with fraud. Henry Villard was the first of the old board to place the ocean between himself and the courts, while Charles L. Colby, who left on the Teutonic, was the last to leave. Testimony is now being taken by the master in chancery in Chicago in the Northern Pacific litigation, and to avoid this the persons referred to have, it is said, left the country. The real purpose of the present management of the road is, it is said, to secure a review in court of the proceedings of Henry Villard, Charles L. Colby, Colgate Hoyt and other men in the conduct of affairs. The absence of Colby, Villard and Wegg is much regretted by the plaintiffs in the proceedings, and it is said when the hearings in this city begin next Wednesday, unless there is a dearth of witnesses owing to the absence of the persons subpœnaed there is a prospect of sensational testimony. To-day the Tribune remarks that the progress of proceedings begun by the present management has been attended by significant movements among the Chicago and N. P. stockholders. The annual meeting of the company held on March 1, according to the regulations of the company, was this year adjourned to April 1. Soon afterwards Judge Jenkins, of the Wisconsin court, which has the N. P. under its jurisdiction, granted authority for taking testimony in the proceedings for the removal of Thomas F. Oakes as receiver, proceedings intended to reach Henry Villard, C. L. Colby, Edwin H. Abbott, Colgate Hoyt, and others concerned in the N. P. management. After this a meeting of the Chicago and N. P. stockholders was held on April 16, and Mr. Wegg retired as president and Henry S. Boutelle as secretary. Mr. Wegg sailed for Europe, and Mr. Boutelle, while still in the country, could not be found when the plaintiff tried to serve a subpœna a short time ago. These changes in the management of the Chicago and N. P. R. R. were all followed by the necessity of one of the receivers appealing to the Wisconsin court to secure access to the books, papers and documents withheld by William Nelson Cromwell, counsel for the receivers of the Northern Pacific. The stockholders took possession of the property after the company had been placed in the hands of receivers in August, and have been struggling ever since to obtain some voice in the management, as directed by the court. If the present managers can win their suit against the former directors, they will be able to recover property worth millions of dollars. The present managers, who are seeking a restoration of funds alleged to have been improperly diverted, have offered no plan of reconstruction and will not do so until they know whether the courts will confirm the past records of the Villard interests. The N. P. people have just put in evidence before the Master in Chancery, who is now taking testimony in the pending proceedings, a letter which was sent by David S. Wegg, counsel of the Northern Pacific, from New York to Henry S. Boutelle in Chicago, dated March 3, 1890, telling a story of the preparations made a month before the lease of the Chicago and Northern Pacific to the Northern Pacific The instructions contained were to have the Chicago and Northern Pacific Railway Company organized immediately, the stock to be subscribed one share each by dummies, and the entire balance subscribed by a dummy to be held for the benefit of a company to be delivered into the treasury of the company. Mr. Boutelle was to select a board of directors none of them directors of the C. and W. B. and S. C., or C. H. and B., although the same directors might be in the last three companies. Henry S. Hawley was to be made president of the company. Mr. Boutelle was to elect himself secretary, John Tenney, of Philadelphia, to be treasurer, the other three directors to be men on whom Mr. Boutelle could rely. The letter contained further instructions as to how the combination should be effected and the transfer of titles made.

U. S. PATROL FLEET.

Sailing of the "Bear" From Port Townsend—The Other Vessels Waiting Orders.

PORT TOWNSEND, May 5—The U. S. S. Bear, the first of the Behring sea fleet to leave the rendezvous here, has sailed for Sitka. From there she goes with supplies for the whaling station at Port Clarence, her most northerly point. She will spend the summer in company with the whaling fleet and bring another herd of reindeer from Siberia for propagation in Northwestern Alaska. Rev. Sheldon Jackson, commissioner of immigration for the territory, is aboard the Bear making his regular annual tour of inspection. The remainder of the patrol fleet is still here awaiting orders.

AGAINST THE PADRONES.

The Immigration Authorities of the U. S. to Assist Italian Immigrants to Join the Colonizing Centres.

ROME, May 5.—In the Chamber of Deputies to-day, Baron Blanc, minister of foreign affairs, announced the intention of the immigration authorities of the United States to assist Italian immigrants to join the colonizing centres with a view of protecting them against the tyranny of speculators and padrones. The announcement was received with applause.

The Iron Mountain (Minn.) miners are in a state of frenzy over the killing of one of their number last night by the militia.

Rheumatism racks the system like a thumbscrew. It retreats before the power of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies the blood.

Churns, milk pails, etc., at McLennan & McFeely's.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Premature Announcement—Annual Press Dinner—Against the French Treaty—Programme of the Royal Society.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, May 5.—Hon. Mr. Haggart says the statement that Messrs. Parent and Kennedy have been discharged in connection with the Curran bridge works is premature.

The annual dinner of the Parliamentary press gallery held to-night was a great success.

Dalton McCarthy will lead the forces against the ratification of the French treaty.

The programme of the Royal Society's meetings this month has been arranged in a most attractive manner.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Election Declared Void—Another Coal Discovery—Execution to be Postponed.

WINNIPEG, May 5.—(Special.)—In the courts to-day the Brandon seat in the local legislature was declared vacant, Adams, Grit, having admitted bribery by agents.

Coal has been found on Buffalo Bay, the terminus of the proposed Manitoba South-eastern road.

It is probable the execution of the Grenfell murderers, fixed for Thursday next, will be postponed.

ITALIAN SCANDAL.

Damaging Revelations at the Trial of the Directors of the Banco Romani.

The Authorities Forced by the Government to Do What Wrecked That Institution.

ROME, May 5.—At the trial of the directors and officers of the Banco Romani, Signor Ianlongo, ex-governor of the bank, testified that when he took the direction of the bank, Minister Sella prevented his learning the condition of the funds of the institution whose capital had been exhausted prior to 1866. Ministers Magliani and de Pretise, he said, compelled him in 1881 to co-operate with the Government in raising the price of rentes above 101 in order to facilitate the conversion of the debt into a 4 per cent. He was sworn to secrecy by the government, and the operations were not entered on the bank's books. The operations involved a loss of nearly $3,600,000 between 1881 and 1889, apart from interest. When he was arrested he wrote to Premier Giolitti in regard to the matter, but received no answer. Documents confirming his statements, he said, would be found in his house.

ANTWERP'S EXHIBITION.

Formal Opening of Belgium's Great International Display—Some of the Features.

Several Specially Interesting and Important Exhibits—Upwards of Forty Thousand Visitors.

ANTWERP, May 5.—The World's exhibition was formally opened here at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon by the King and Queen of the Belgians. The weather was delightful; the display of troops and gorgeous official costumes was magnificent, and the booming of cannon filled the air. The burgomaster and members of the city council of Brussels were not present, as owing to the rivalry existing between the capital city and Antwerp those officials had not been invited. Count de Pret, president of the executive council of the exposition, delivered an address, welcoming the king and queen to the largest exhibition ever held at Antwerp. King Leopold replied briefly, complimenting the authorities of the exhibition on the completeness of their work. Minister de Bruyn also spoke on behalf of the government.

Afterwards a cantata composed by Benoit was sung by a choir of 1,500 voices. King Leopold visited only a small part of the exhibition, the greater part of the exhibits not yet being in their places and, in fact, the greater part of the exhibition not being ready for visitors. The features of the exhibition are a reproduction of old Antwerp in the 16th century, and the Congo, International and Marine sections, all of which possess marvellous exhibits. The Belgian section is the largest; France, Germany, Great Britain, India, the United States and Italy coming next in the order named. An extensive space is set apart for side attractions from Eastern countries. Among the many distinguished persons present at the opening were the Royal family, the Countess of Flanders, Prince von Hohenzollern and members of the ministry. Upwards of 40,000 people were present at the opening.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

To Oppose Hon. Mr. Hardy.

BRANTFORD, May 5.—At the meeting of the local P. P. A. last night Ald. Hopkins was unanimously nominated to oppose Hon. Mr. Hardy for the legislature.

North Oxford Nomination.

ORANGEVILLE, May 5.—It is stated that Elgin Myers, Q C., has been invited to contest North Oxford for the legislature on the political union platform.

HALIFAX, May 5.—The Union House and Flown's liquor store have been badly gutted by fire. Loss $17,000, insurance $9,000.

Ravages of Fire.

HAMILTON, May 5.—An incendiary fire destroyed Solomon Gage's barn and its contents three miles from this city. Five valuable horses, agricultural implements and a quantity of grain were lost, no insurance. A rig driven by the fire bugs was traced to the city limits.

CABLE NEWS.

Trade Statistics Compared—Bismarck Will Never Return to Public Life—New Encyclical.

Bestowal of Imperial Honors—Sir William V. Harcourt—The Silver Question.

LONDON, May 5.—Mr. Giffen, the eminent statistician, has published a table on the relative trade of Great Britain, France, Germany and the United States during the period from 1890 to 1892, which shows increases in the following proportions: Imports, Germany and the United States, 33 per cent. each; England, 13 per cent. and France 6 per cent. Exports, United States, 26 per cent.; France, 14 per cent.; England 10 per cent., and Germany 15 per cent. The Times says: "So far as we can see the positions of the leading countries are pretty much the same as they were in 1885, allowing for the fact that certain minor countries like Japan have developed unexpected business energy. As the exports of the United States are largely of articles we do not produce, the importance of their rapid increase is not much to us."

The Sun states that Sir William Harcourt will not return to Parliament after the next elections. The son of the British finance minister says this statement is entirely unauthorized.

Prince Bismarck, according to a Hamburg dispatch, when speaking to the Holstein veterans declared that he had remained in office a decade longer than he wished, and nothing could induce him to return to public life.

Samuel Smith, Liberal, Flintshire, moved in the House of Commons last night, that it is desirable that a standard par exchange between silver and gold be established by international agreement. While Edmund Vesey Knox, anti-Parnellite, for West Cavan, was speaking in favor of the motion, the house was counted out.

A motion offered by Sir Wilfrid Lawson in the House of Commons, that hereafter the bestowal of titles and other honors by the Queen should be accompanied with a statement of the services rewarded, was opposed by Sir Vernon Harcourt as inadvisable and was defeated.

The Government of Madagascar has issued a decree that silver without a gold guarantee is no longer acceptable at face value.

A petition is being circulated in the metropolis and receiving thousands of signatures against the practice of having drinks served by barmaids.

Farnari, the Italian Anarchist, has been sentenced to twenty years at hard labor, and his companion Polti to ten years.

Baron Kuehlerna, director of a travelling circus, has been arrested at Munich, charged with trampling his sister almost to death, seriously stabbing his wife, a number of other persons, and five ponies.

The Pope's coming encyclical appeals to Christians of all creeds to preserve peace and strive for unity.

A thunder storm in the town of Jauer today caused the overflow of the river Neisse, which carried away a number of bridges and houses. Several persons were drowned. The damage amounts to several million dollars.

THE FATHERLAND.

Intense Antagonism Between the Social Democrats and Avowed Anarchists—The Kaiser's Movements.

BERLIN, May 5.—The Social Democrats have been at some trouble to suppress the news of a May-day incident which illustrated the intense hatred felt toward them by the so-called Independents and the avowed Anarchists. A crowd of Independents and Anarchists who had met in the Schadow strasse and had been dispersed by the police, straggled into the Spittal market on May day. There they met Deputy Paul Singer. They at once surrounded him, jostled and jeered him. Although Singer recognized in the crowd some of his former adherents, he made no gesture of recognition. After he had been shaken he was rescued by the police and was accompanied by them to his home. The incident showed plainly that the line has been drawn among the Socialists between their riotous and orderly members. After Singer had been escorted from the market the police took advantage of the demonstration to block all near by streets, forming along the Leipseiger strasse and driving everybody—rioters as well as orderly citizens—into a side street. Pastor Schall, a Conservative deputy who railed at the Socialists all the session in the Reichstag, became frightened at his own temerity when May day came, and demanded that the police protect his person and his house in Cladow on May 1 against the attacks which he imagined the Socialists had planned to make. His demand caused general hilarity, as Schall has long been regarded by the Socialists as a harmless and ridiculous crank. The police reluctantly sent the pastor a special guard of three men, who paced the street before his house all day, while the crowd looked on and jeered them.

After the Emperor's return to Potsdam he began military inspections, attended a parade of the Foot Guards and in a speech reminded the men that the day was the anniversary of the battle of Gross-Gorschen. He headed the regiment in the march back to Potsdam and took luncheon with the officers. The reviews which the Emperor has planned will last seven weeks. At the end of that period he will go for his holidays in Norway and his usual voyage to the North Cape. The Czar will visit Potsdam early in October while on his way home from his annual holidays in Copenhagen.

Esoljay's Liver Lozenges are not bringing the dead to life or performing unheard of miracles, but they are bringing health and sunshine to many a home previously clouded with troubles resulting from biliousness and torpid liver. 25 cts. a box at all drug stores.

WE MUST confess that the weather is keeping everything back; but we got ahead of the weather and made ample provision for the wants of the public in the way of everything useful, pretty and economical in house furnishings. WEILER BROS.

Drink Victoria Phœnix Bock Beer.

WEST KOOTENAY.

Feeling in the South Riding Strongly in Favor of the Davie Government.

Meeting of Friends of the Administration at Nelson—G. O. Buchanan, Government Candidate.

NELSON, May 1.—(Special)—All the indications show that the South riding of West Kootenay will elect a government member. The opposition faction, who have been hard at work for several months, have been completely outgeneralled, and, from this time on, must fight a losing battle. Their tactics of setting race against race, and town against town, and publishing libels, falsities and misrepresentations, with coarse abuse of independent, patriotic men, have not helped them with a right-minded, intelligent electorate. The sense of the community is that the government represents a powerful, united, successful party in the province, and the opposition a leaderless, shrunken and obstructive faction.

In the present circumstances of the riding, there are naturally many sharply separated groups of population, which it is difficult to get together for a common purpose. The government has not interfered, and does not propose to interfere in any way, with the free action of the electors. But its local supporters, comprising able tacticians, have played, so far, a watching and waiting game, and have at last succeeded in getting the majority in important centres to agree upon a thoroughly respectable candidate in the person of Mr. G. O. Buchanan, J.P., who is a well informed man and a good speaker. He is a sawmill owner at Kaslo. The opposition candidate is Mr J. F. Hume, a Nelson storekeeper, personally respectable and of amiable manners, but weak, ill-informed and unable to address the public with any effect. His support is among those who personally like him and among the factionist "kickers" who propose to make use of him in the hope of overthrowing the government.

The Nelson election committee of government supporters met for the first time today, the idea being that about a dozen might be present to talk over questions of organization, and so a small room was taken for the purpose. Staunch government men to the number of seventy or eighty, however, appeared, and the meeting assumed necessarily a broader character. A communication signed by sixty-two leading citizens of Kaslo was read, and it was determined to proceed to important business, the main result being embodied in the following resolutions:

1. That the present government has been vigorous and progressive in Provincial affairs, and has done well for this riding generally, in the past.

2 That for this reason, and, as representing a powerful, united party, the government should receive support in the coming general election.

3 That steps should be taken to secure an acceptable candidate for this riding, who shall support the government.

4. That such candidate should be a capable resident of the riding, willing if elected to consult his constituents generally on important matters, and that his place of birth, or place of local residence in the riding, is immaterial.

5. That G. O. Buchanan, Esq., J. P., is a fit and proper candidate to be recommended to the electorate.

Such is the state of matters at present. No doubt the majorities in Nelson and Kaslo on the government side will be supplemented very generally in other places, and Mr. Buchanan will be returned. Very strong men on the government side have patriotically withdrawn their claims to be considered as candidates, in order to ensure a triumph, and the fight will now go bravely on.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The "Bawnmore's" First Trip as an Oil Carrier—Passengers Hither Bound From San Francisco.

The steamship Bawnmore, which first came to this coast with a general cargo from England for Victoria, and which, after being engaged in the coal trade between Nanaimo and California, was fitted out in San Francisco with tank compartments for carrying oil from Tarala Bay to the Bay City, arrived at the latter place with her first cargo on Monday last. When the Bawnmore reached her destination on the downward trip it was found that the water was not deep enough to permit the steamer to tie up alongside of the wharf, and consequently it was found necessary to extend the connection with the pipe line, which runs six miles to the wells. There are forty-nine wells and their output is about 30,000 barrels a day, the greater proportion of which is shipped down to Callao, where it is burned on nearly all railroads. The Bawnmore's load amounts to a little less than 20,000 barrels, and its effect on the upward trip was carefully noted. The steamer was very steady in heavy seas, but her odd cargo kept her back a little. The steamer, after making another round trip, will be fitted out with burners to consume petroleum. There are altogether fourteen tanks for carrying oil. One traverse bulkhead runs fore and aft, while the other bulkheads are built athwartship. Eight tanks are forward of the engines, and at the after end of the ship there are six, three on each side. The oil is all carried below the water level, and there is every possible precaution against accident. All danger of heating from contact with engines and boilers is obviated by two bulkheads, placed about two feet apart. Being built at each end of the engine compartment, the bulkheads form a coffer dam, which is always kept full of water when the vessel is loaded. According to the charter it cost $4 20 a ton to bring the oil to San Francisco, or as it has been calculated, the freight bill is $11,200 for carrying 800,000 gallons of oil.

HEAVY MACHINERY SHIPMENT.

The greater portion of the machinery taken from the wrecked San Pedro, which has been undergoing a process of cleansing and overhauling on the outer wharf, under Capt. Lachlan's supervision, was yesterday placed on board the steamship Al-ki for shipment to San Francisco. This salvage consists of several large anchors, steam winches, pumps, pipes, etc., which when loaded on the steamer materially augmented the cargo which she had previously taken in the line of grain from the Sound.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

The steamer Walla Walla, which sailed from San Francisco yesterday morning, has the following passengers for this city: T. J. Ford, J. F. Hawks, Louis Goepel, Miss A. Hitchcock, Mrs. H. C. Halpenny, T. J. St. Stephens, W. A. Lawson, C. Clutes and wife, D. Mills, W. C. Maxwell, V. Leuhn, A. Doran, H. Groul, A. J. W. Bridgman and wife, Mrs. Raynor, Mrs. Hooper, Miss Fell, Mrs. Piper, Mr. Fell, Hon. D. W. Higgins, Mrs. Croft, E. Dunsmuir, C. K. O'Reilly, Mrs. Stewart, N. Dean, Arthur Stewart, A. S. Hall, J. B. Jones, J. B. Caldwell, J. Vanbremer, Chas. White, A. Fawcett, D. Guthrie and wife, J. Williams and F. W. Clarke.

A STORMY PASSAGE.

The bark Richard III, which arrived in Royal Roads from San Francisco yesterday afternoon, reports encountering severe weather on her way North. She was nineteen days making the passage, which Capt. Howard, her master, describes as the worst he has ever seen in an experience of almost a life time at sea. The vessel will probably go on the new marine ways at Esquimalt before she again loads coal. The ways are at present engaged for the steam collier Wellington, which will, no doubt, have reached Esquimalt from San Francisco by this morning, as she was expected to arrive yesterday.

FROM THE NORTH.

The steamer Boscowitz arrived at Nanaimo from the North yesterday evening. She has no news of importance. The canneries are preparing for the opening of the season. On board the steamer are a number of Indians, witnesses in the Lynn murder case. Bishop Ridley, of Metlakatla, was a passenger down on his way to England.

MARINE NOTES.

The steamer Garland yesterday brought in from Angoles 260 odd sealskins, part of the schooner Swan's catch. The skins are here for sale, being about half those obtained by the schooner, which returned to Port Angeles from her sealing cruise some days previously.

Steam collier Wellington is expected to go on the Esquimalt marine railway to-morrow.

The barkentine Katie Flickinger, lumber laden, passed out to sea yesterday.

The German bark Senta is under charter to load salmon for Europe.

ENTERED.

Str. Premier.....from Vancouver.
" City of Seattle..... " Port Townsend.
" Al-ki..... " "
" Princess Louise..... " N. Westminster.
" Garland..... " Port Angeles.

CLEARED.

Str. Premier..... for Vancouver.
" City of Seattle..... " Port Townsend.
" Princess Louise..... " N. Westminster.
" Al-ki..... " San Francisco.
" Garland..... " Port Angeles.

THOSE "SPORTS."

TO THE EDITOR:—I notice that the sports and games committee "have decided to ask," among other things, for $650 for athletic sports (save the mark) and $350 for firemen's races in connection with the 24th of May celebration. This, if it is allowed to pass, will be nothing more or less than a fraud on those who have contributed their good money towards the celebration. Does any person except those who annually divide these "pots" pretend to say that the public get the value of their money? Here is a cool $1,000 to be handed over to whom? for cutting a few monkey shines on Beacon Hill. Rather than have the oft repeated farce of so-called "athletic sports" which is presented at Beacon Hill on the 24th, let the committee pay the "performers" to "perform" in their own quarters. If these local Sandows are so anxious to show the public what they can do, why not be manly about it and give an entertainment in the theatre at a nominal price of admission, and not ask a bonus from the celebration committee. "Let each tub stand on its own bottom." It is a notorious fact that as far as the two sums above named are concerned they would ultimately gravitate into pockets of the same set. Not that I have any objection to "firemen's races" *per se*, but it is a well known fact that these "tourneys" have been held just once too often to draw anything of a crowd. A review of the Navy, etc., even if it absorbed the above $1,000 (which could be a consummation devoutly to be wished) would be *the* thing to offer as a spectacle to draw visitors to Victoria on the 24th. "ONE WHO HAS PUT UP HIS GOOD MONEY."

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FOR SALE—CHEAP—Two lots, cleared, on Foul Bay Road, close to cars; price $450. 1 lot, slashed, near head of Esquimalt Road, $275. Acre blocks for sale in Woodland Park. Apply to

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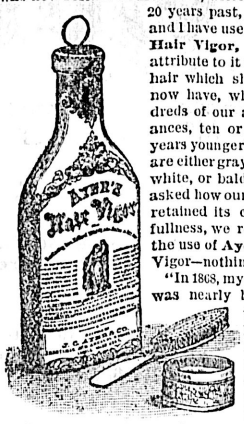

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WANTED—Situation by a Japanese at housework. Apply Japanese Store, 150 Governmen street. ap12-6t

WANTED—500 steady customers, with the cash to buy the old reliable Wellington Coal, weight and quality guaranteed. Apply to Hall, Goepel & Co ja14

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TO LET—House (7 rooms, bathroom, hot and cold water), on Gorge road; first-class stable etc.; 20 minutes walk from street cars; rent $20 per month. Apply Swinerton & Oddy, cor. Government and Yates street. ap24-3t

TO LET OR LEASE—American Hotel, with 20 rooms and saloon license; bar and bar fixtures complete; central location. Apply 16 Trounce avenue, or Burnes House. ja5-tf

COMFORTABLY furnished rooms, with use of bath, with or without board; terms very moderate; five minutes' walk from post office. Apply 67 Kane street. ap11-1m

TO LET — Two comfortable cottages, four rooms; rent $5 per month. Apply at 185 Douglas street. ap7-1mo

TO LET—Large front room; ground floor; Rae street, facing the Cathedral; suitable for two gentlemen, if required. Address H.F., Colonist office. mr9

TO LET OR FOR LEASE—23 rooms in the Victoria Theatre building, formerly occupied by Messrs. Redon & Hartnagel. For particulars apply to M. Strouss, 44 Fort street. ja6-tf

TO LET—House and an acre of ground; water front, Gorge road; stables, etc.; hot and cold water; 20 minutes from tram; rent $22.50. Apply to Swinerton & Oddy. de13

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FOR SALE CHEAP—On account of owner leaving the country; a nice four-roomed house with fine garden, situate on the best part of Victoria West. Purchasers can make their own terms. Apply L. F., Colonist office. my4-3t

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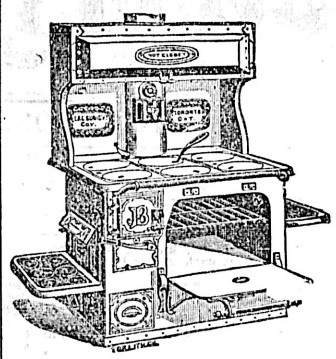

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The Kaslo-Kootenay Land Co. control the original townsite. They are offering all property at reasonable prices and upon easy terms of payment. All inquiries for particulars will be promptly and fully answered.

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fe11-tf Government Street.

NOTICE—DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership heretofore existing between Samuel Kirschberg and Frederick Landsberg, carrying on business under the name and style of the Victoria Loan Office, at 133 Government street, Victoria, has been dissolved by mutual consent from the date hereof.

Mr. Frederick Landsberg will assume all liabilities and collect all assets of the late firm, and will continue the business on his own account under the name and style of the Victoria Loan Office.

Dated 14th April, 1894.

SAMUEL KIRSCHBERG,
(By his attorney in fact, Frederick Landsberg)
FREDERICK LANDSBERG.
Witness—S. PERRY MILLS. ap17-1m

Nanaimo Judicial District.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, in virtue of the powers vested in him by the "Supreme Court Amendment Act, 1894," has been pleased to order that from and after Monday, the 16th day of April, instant, the Registry for the Nanaimo Judicial District shall be established in the City of Nanaimo.

By command,
JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
12th April, 1894. ap19-1m

Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all taxes levied under the Assessment Act are now due for the year 1894. All of the above-named taxes collectable, within the Electoral Districts of Victoria City, Victoria, Esquimalt and Coast Districts, are payable at my office.

Assessed taxes are collectable at the following rates, viz.:

If paid on or before June 30th, 1894—
One-half of one per cent. on real property.
Two per cent. on wild land.
One-third of one per cent. on personal property.
One half of one per cent. on income.

If paid after June 30th, 1894—
Two-thirds of one per cent. on real property.
Two and one-half per cent. on wild land.
One-half of one per cent. on personal property.
Three-fourths of one per cent. on income.
Provincial Revenue Tax, $3.00 per capita (Victoria City excepted).

CORNELIUS BOOTH,
Assessor and Collector.
January 2nd, 1894. ap19-td

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the year 1894.

SPRING ASSIZES.

Nanaimo	Tuesday	1st May.
New Westminster	Tuesday	8th May.
Vancouver	Tuesday	15th May.
Clinton	Monday	28th May.
Victoria	Tuesday	29th May.
Kamloops	Monday	4th June.
Vernon	Monday	11th June.
*Donald	Friday	15th June.
*Nelson	Tuesday	19th June.

*Special Assize. ap19-td

NOTICE.

Lease of Timber Limits, Takush Harbour, Smith's Sound.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Monday, the 21st May next, from any person persons or corporation duly authorized in that behalf, for permission to lease the undermentioned lands for the purpose of cutting spars, timber or lumber, subject to the provisions of the "Land Act," and amendments thereto, viz:—

Lots 30, 31, 32, 33, 50, 51 and 52, Range 2, Coast District, containing in the aggregate, 13,892 acres.

The competitor offering the highest cash bonus will, subject to the fulfilment of the provisions of the "Land Act" and amendments, as aforesaid, be entitled to a lease of the premises for a term of twenty-one years.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified bank cheque to cover the cost of survey, $1,642.70, the first year's rental, $1,389.20, and the amount of the bonus tendered; and if the person tendering is not the owner of a properly equipped saw-mill in some part of the Province appurtenant to the limits tendered for, he must enclose another certified cheque for $1,389.20, as a guarantee for the erection of a suitable mill within two years. The cheques will be at once returned to unsuccessful competitors.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 25th April, 1894. ap27

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance," from the 1st day of April, 1894, until the 1st day of April, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th March, 1894. fe10-td

Vancouver Island.

ALL placer claims and leaseholds in Vancouver Island and adjacent islands legally held may be laid over from the 15th day of November, 1893, until the 1st day of June, 1894.

F. G. VERNON,
Gold Commissioner.
Victoria, B.C., 6th December, 1893. fe10-td

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES.

A. O. U. W. Grand Lodge Meeting—Templars Choose Officers—Pythian Reception Programme.

Odd Fellows' Excursion and Picnic—Proposed District High Court C. O. F.

The event of the week now opening, in the secret society line, will be the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge, A.O.U.W., to be held at Ladner's, and to be brought to a conclusion with a grand ball. The programme has already been outlined in these columns, and none will appear in regard to the meeting and the subsequent festivities during the next few days The delegates will leave here on Wednesday morning by the Premier, making close connections for Westminster, where a steamer will be in waiting to convey them to their destination. The lodge room proceedings of the week just closed are reviewed below:

I. O. G. T.

Perseverance lodge No. 1, on Tuesday initiated two lady members, and then proceeded with the installation of the following officers: Chief templar, Sister Hall; vice-templar, Sister Graham; superintendent juvenile temple, Sister Gilchrist; assistant secretary, Sister Townsend; assistant secretary, Bro. Williams; F. S., Sister McDonald; treasurer, Sister Parsons; chaplain, Sister Newbigging; marshal, Sister Murton; D. marshal, Bro. Sinclair; guard, Sister Morrison; sentinel, Bro. Collins; P. C. T., Bro. Russell.

Victoria West lodge, No. 29, at their last regular meeting installed officers for the quarter as here mentioned: Chief templar, Bro. E. J. Atherton; vice-templar, Sister Dyker; secretary, Bro. D. McDonald; assistant secretary, Sister S. McDonald; financial secretary, Bro. A. W. Semple; treasurer, Bro. J. Park; chaplain, Sister J. Semple; marshall, Sister G. Andrews; deputy marshall, Bro. Virtue; guard, Sister R. Semple; sentinel, Sister J. McDonald; past chief templar, Bro. G. W. Andrews; superintendent juvenile temple, Sister J. B. Semple; assistant superintendent, Sister Eva Andrews, and reporter, Bro. Dan Mc Donald.

K. OF P.

On Friday the committee appointed to arrange for the reception of Supreme Chancellor Blackwell held a meeting. A lengthy programme was drawn up and all arrangements were concluded for the entertainment of the distinguished visitor during his stay in Victoria.

The fifth annual session of the Grand Lodge will be held at Pythian Castle, Broad street, on June 6. About fifty representatives will be in attendance. The local lodges have already appointed committees to make arrangements for the reception of the Grand Lodge officers and representatives.

Far West lodge No. 1 will confer the rank of Page at the next regular meeting. Victoria division No. 2, Uniform Rank, will drill Monday evening.

The Nanaimo Knights will hold memorial services on June 10. A large number of brethren from Victoria will attend, accompanied by the Uniform Rank.

I.O.O.F.

The third degree was conferred on a brother by Columbia lodge No. 2 on Wednesday evening. Routine and other important business was also transacted. A vote of thanks was passed to the committee that devised and so ably carried out the programme on the occasion of the late anniversary of the order. Work in the third degree is on for next Wednesday evening.

The joint celebration committee met on Wednesday evening in the library, and settled accounts in connection with the anniversary proceedings on the 28th ult.

L. O. L

On Friday evening last L. O. L. 1,610 entertained L. O. L. 1,426 and Ladies' True Blue Lodge 37, together with their friends, at one of the most unique entertainments held in the city in recent months. After a musical and literary programme of exceptional merit, a farce entitled "Home Rule by Force" was presented in such a manner that those taking part have reason to be proud of themselves. The Home Rule army was under the leadership of General Coxey and the special direction of Sergt. Galliger, whose part was above criticism. Efforts are being made to have this farce presented at the Victoria theatre in the near future. After the farce, refreshments were served and one of the most enjoyable events of the season was brought to a close with the singing of God Save the Queen.

C. O. O. F.

Fernwood lodge on Friday evening received a deputation from Dauntless lodge, who asked the co-operation of the lodge towards making the concert which will be given by Dauntless lodge next Saturday evening, a success. It is the intention of the lodge to have a picnic or excursion during the summer, for which purpose a committee was appointed to confer with Dauntless lodge. Under "Good of the order," a very pleasant and entertaining hour was spent in random speeches. The programme for the next meeting will be a debate, "Protection versus Free Trade." A juvenile lodge in connection with the order in the city is expected soon to be organized; a large number of juveniles have signified their intention of joining. At the next meeting of the lodge the notices of motions to amend the constitution of the Grand Lodge of Canada, to be disposed of at the annual session at Napanee, Ont., on June 12, will be discussed by the lodge.

A.O.F.

Court Robin Hood No. 8100, A.O.F., met last Thursday evening and disposed of important business. Next Friday (May 11) there will be a concert and dance in Semple's hall, Victoria West, given by the members of the court. Some of the best local talent has been engaged, and there is every indication that there will be a big crowd.

C. O. F.

More than the usual interest was manifested at the regular monthly meeting of the Canadian Order of Foresters on Thursday evening. The report of the financial secretary, Bro. Garrett Smith, was highly satisfactory, showing as it did that despite hard times there is a good balance in the treasury. Court Emery, No. 371, has enjoyed a period of two years existence and has yet to have its first member on the sick list, the rigid medical entrance examination not being without its results. Attention is directed to the fact that the District High Court meets in Winnipeg on the 29th of the present month, and some important changes are likely to be made in the constitution. It may not be long ere a District High Court is established in British Columbia, and to this end the Foresters of this province are working. The following are the officers elected for the current half-year: Geo. Leonard, W.C.R; Chas. Cooper, V.C.R.; R. R. Watson, Rec. Sec; Garrett Smith, Fin. Sec; Joseph H Emery, treasurer; Percy Emerson, chaplain; Geo. Wallace, S.W.; Wm. Hodge, S.B.

LODGE ROOM NOTES.

At last Monday evening's meeting of Milton lodge, Sons of St. George, Dr. Watson was appointed in the place of E. C. Foot, M.D, who has removed to Duncan's, much to the regret of the lodge. Past President Bro. Thos. Gough was presented with a P P. jewel; to-morrow evening several other past presidents will receive similar honors.

Seghers Council, No. 85, Y. M. I., will meet to-morrow to elect delegates and alternates to the tenth grand council of the order, which convenes in San Francisco on June 25. June 30 has been set aside as Institute day at the Midwinter Fair.

Y. L. I. No. 33, are making preparations for a prize social to be held next Thursday in Harmony hall, providing the Bishop does not arrive prior to the event.

A new Orange lodge is to be formed at Nanaimo River. Bros. Jones, McDonald and Hill are making the arrangements.

The Sir William Wallace Society enjoyed a pleasant programme at their Friday evening meeting.

Industrial Army.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Executive Secretary McGlynn, of the Federated Trades, appeared to-day before the supervisors of the finance committee and asked for funds with which to send East the contingent of the industrial army now ready. This contingent, numbering about 500 men, is not wanted in Sacramento, and the citizens say they will ship all the men back here unless they move in another direction. In their dilemma, some of the men wired McGlynn and urged him to try and get money from somewhere to send them East; Mrs. Smith also sent down to the Mayor a frantic appeal for money to get East with. She half threatened to see her army returned to San Francisco if appropriations were not made. The committee decided there was no money available.

Ladies—Hinde s curling pins at Fox's.

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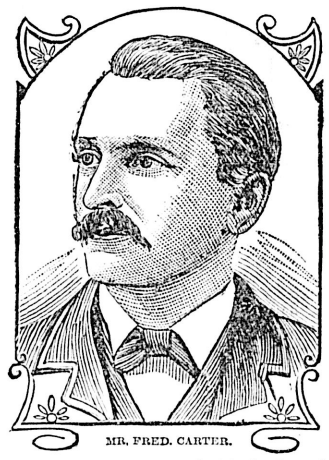

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In the matter of the Quieting Titles Act and in the matter of the Title of James Isbister to Lot Number 11, part of Suburban Lot 55, Esquimalt District, according to Map 10, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia.

NOTICE is hereby given that James Isbister, of the village of Esquimalt, British Columbia, on the 16th day of February, 1894, applied under the Quieting Titles Act for a Declaration of Title to Lot Number 11, part of Suburban Lot 55, Esquimalt District, according to Map Numbered 10, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia, and he has filed a petition and produced evidence before the Honourable Mr. Justice Walkem, whereby he appears to be the legal and beneficial owner of the said land in fee simple in possession. Any person having or claiming any title or interest in the said land or any part thereof, is required on or before the 16th day of July, 1894, to file a statement of his claim, verified by affidavit, with the Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, and to serve a notice thereof on Mr. Alan S. Dumbleton, 51 Langley St., Victoria, B.C., solicitor for the petitioner, and in default of so doing, every such claim will be barred and the said James Isbister will be declared the legal and beneficial owner in fee simple in possession of the said piece or parcel of land free from all rights, interests, claims and demands whatever, except and subject to the reservations in the 23rd Section of the said Act, and therein numbered respectively (a) and (b).

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MISTAKEN AGAIN.

The organ of the Opposition in this city has a queer way of jumping at conclusions. Referring to the correspondence which we published yesterday with respect to Mr. Brown's retirement, it declares that the COLONIST convicted itself of dishonesty when it endeavored to show that the circular written more than a year ago was the cause of Mr. Brown's retirement. We would like to know where the "dishonesty" comes in. When the Premier and his colleagues and political friends were being accused by the Opposition organs of procuring Mr. Brown's retirement, we were told of the circular. We mentioned the fact of its existence at the time, and afterwards we published the circular itself. Our readers then knew as much about that circular as we did, and they, like Mr. Brown, and everyone else, were in a position to draw their own conclusions from it. We believed then, and we believe now, that it should have been taken by Mr. Brown as an intimation that he would not be allowed to serve two masters after the then term of the Legislative Assembly had expired. But it appears that Mr. Brown did not take the gentle but very significant hint that was then given him. He, like the gentleman we read about, waited until he got a broader hint. That, owing to the courtesy and the kindliness of the Postmaster General, did not come in the shape of a "kick," but we are pretty sure that if Mr. Brown had had some men to deal with, the second intimation would have been that his services were no longer required by the Post Office Department. It is evident that having issued the circular in February, 1893, the only course left to the Postmaster-General was, when the term of the Legislature had expired, to tell Mr. Brown in plain terms he must either abandon politics or leave the post office. This was the ground we took, and this was exactly what happened.

It is evident that neither the Times nor Mr. Brown has any idea of what "a parity of reasoning" means. They cannot see that if the Postmaster-General saw that an official of his department could not be allowed to hold the office of mayor or even school trustee in a corporate town, it would be impossible for him to permit a postmaster to be a member of a Provincial Legislature. The reasoning that led him to the conclusion that it was not right or expedient to permit a postmaster to be a city school trustee would compel him to prevent a postmaster being a member of the Legislative Assembly. The man, whether he be postmaster or journalist, who cannot see this must be either hopelessly obtuse or wilfully blind.

MAKING BELIEVE?

Our Mainland Opposition contemporaries affect to be amused at the candidature of Mr. Curtis for the Westminster seat in the Legislative Assembly. Their smiles, however, appear to be somewhat forced and their laugh has a hollow ring. We would not be greatly surprised to find that there is just a little consternation behind their ostentatious professions of gratification because the supporters of the Government have chosen so capable and so popular a man to contest the city of Westminster. They protest just a little too much. The impartial reader of the articles in the Advertiser and the Columbian will be led by their very exuberance to doubt the sincerity of the men who wrote them.

It was like the News-Advertiser to express its conviction at the beginning of the article that the contest in Westminster would not be allowed to degenerate into anything like "blackguardism," and at its close to allude to the Government candidates for Vancouver in the most blackguardly way. The News-Advertiser is noted for its hypocrisy and it is also noted for its inability to act out the character it assumes. No matter how saintly the garb it puts on for the moment may be, it is sure before long to show the cloven foot. It begins the article under review, in the mildest manner and with a smirk intended to convey the idea that it is pleased; and it ends with a scowl accompanied by a coarse and offensive remark which no one would think of uttering in decent society.

THE SIBERIAN PACIFIC.

The Siberian Pacific Railway is, it is admitted, sure to be constructed. The route is surveyed and the cost estimated. It is to be a Government work. It will no doubt do much for the commerce of Russia, but this is with the Czar a secondary consideration. He looks at it from a national and from a military point of view. The road when constructed will bring the frontiers of India and Chida, as well as the shores of the Pacific ocean, much nearer to St. Petersburg than they now are. When this great road is once in operation it will be comparatively easy to transport troops to any part of Asia where they are likely to be required, and immense areas in the interior of the continent that are now unavailable for almost any useful purpose can be made to contribute to the support of the armies which the Russian Government may see fit to send to the interior and east of Asia.

The country that this great railway, which is to be nearly three thousand miles long, will open up is said to be almost equal in area to the whole of Central Europe, Germany, Austro-Hungary, Holland, Belgium and Denmark. A large proportion of this immense region is no doubt good agricultural and pastoral land, and its mineral resources are vast and varied. It is traversed by great rivers, the Obi, the Yenesi, the Amur and the Lena. It is therefore difficult to overestimate the value of this great transcontinental railroad to Russia. Its construction will cost an immense sum of money, and Russia has not much cash to spare. But when the time comes its Government will, no doubt, find money enough to build a railroad which in every way will be of such great advantage to the Empire. It is estimated that it will take considerably over two hundred millions of dollars to build it, but it will be worth the money to Russia.

The great Siberian Pacific Railroad will make communication between Russia and China much easier than it is at present, and it will also stimulate its trade with Japan. The danger of the invasion of India by Russia may be increased by the construction of the road, but as the Russians have extended their lines of railroad already in the direction of the Indian Empire, the construction of the transcontinental road may not, therefore, very greatly facilitate Russian encroachment in that direction.

A few years ago this vast undertaking would have been regarded as the dream of a crack-brained enthusiast. But Canadian courage and Canadian enterprise on this continent have proved it to be quite feasible. We do not think that the engineering difficulties of the Siberian road are nearly so great as those which the builders of the Canadian Pacific Railway had to meet, and which they surmounted. The stretch of road north of Lake Superior and that across the Province of British Columbia, we venture to say, contained more and greater engineering difficulties than are to be found on the route of the great Russian railway. It is not likely that the powerful Government of Russia will be unable to do what was done rapidly and with comparative ease by a dependency of the British Empire and a company of British capitalists. The builders of the Canadian Pacific Railway showed the world what can be done by British pluck, British energy, and British intelligence, in the way of railway construction, and we have no doubt that Russia in carrying out its great project will be encouraged and assisted by their example.

A TIMID NEIGHBOR.

Although the Americans are such great boasters, many of them are, in matters of trade, as timid as sheep. The very shadow of competition raises the fears of a very large proportion of the producers of the United States. They tremble (figuratively) at the idea of being obliged to compete in their own market in either raw products or manufactured articles with the producers of Canada. The prospect of certain raw products of Canada being introduced into the States duty free frightens some of our neighbors almost into fits. They protest against the proposed concession hysterically. So narrow are they in their notions of trade and so fearful are they of competition, that we wonder why they permit a free interchange of commodities among themselves. How can California exist when it has to compete on equal terms with Oregon, and why does not Ohio keep out the products of Indiana and Pennsylvania by a high tariff?

The prospect of the Wilson Bill becoming law grieves the heart and disturbs the spirit of our clever contemporary, the Seattle Post-Intelligencer. It, with Senator Squire, bemoans the fate of Washington State because the Wilson free list will permit some of the products of British Columbia to enter that State without paying toll to the United States Custom House. It says:

Senator Squire in his recent speech in the Senate pointed out that if the Wilson Bill became a law the industries of the State of Washington would be sacrificed to those of British Columbia, and among other things he said free lumber means the sacrifice of our lumber interests to those of British Columbia; free coal, even with the Senate amendment, means poverty for our miners; free iron means the postponement of the development of magnificent deposits within our borders; free wool means the destruction and abandonment of the sheep industry. The reduction on hops from 15 cents per pound to 2 per cent. ad valorem leaves our hop growers at the mercy of foreign producers.

This is horrible, but it is not all the complaint. The Post-Intelligencer deplores in pathetic terms the case of the farmer, the miner and the lumberman of Washington state and other States whom the wicked Wilson will compel to compete with the cheap labor and cheap lands of Canada. It enumerates a number of articles which the Wilson tariff will allow to enter the States free of duty, and wonders how anyone could have the heart to inflict such grievous and wanton injury on United States citizens as to permit Canadians to undersell them in their own market. It has found out in some way that labor is 50 per cent. cheaper in Canada than it is in the United States, and that land can be had for much less on this side of the border than it can be obtained for on the American side. We think if our contemporary made a few inquiries it would find that both labor and land are quite as dear on the Canadian side of the line as they are on the American. As regards land, we are continually being told that one of the reasons why British Columbia is not better settled is that immigrants, finding that they can get good land cheaper in Washington and Oregon than they can in British Columbia, give up the idea of buying farms on British territory and settle on American soil. We have an idea that our contemporary has a good deal to learn about the condition of things in Canada. If, for instance, it took the trouble to inquire, it would find that coal miners are a good deal better paid in British Columbia than they are in Washington or, indeed, in any other State of the Union.

It will be observed that the Post-Intelligencer spurns the offer of reciprocity in farm products which Canadian Liberals tell us the United States is ready to extend to Canada, but is kept from doing so by the trickery and wrongheadedness of Canadian Tories. This is what the Post-Intelligencer says about that kind of reciprocity:

Of course, if the American farmer cannot stand the admission of Canadian farm products, duty free, to the American markets, the offer to admit his products duty free to the markets of Canada is like an insult offered to a captive by an Indian who has already taken his scalp and asks the helpless captive why he does not go out scalp hunting, too.

There may, nevertheless, be farmers in Washington State who would be very glad to see agricultural products of all kinds admitted into Canadian ports duty free.

We trust that our contemporary will master its fears and moderate its grief. The Wilson bill is not the law of the United States yet. And if the Senators do make up their minds to pass it, it will be found that its operation will not altogether ruin the farming and mining industries of the State of Washington. It should borrow a little Canadian philosophy and observe with an even mind the vagaries of politicians in Congress and out of it.

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RECEIPTS.

Premiums	$793,009 37	
Annuities	7,883 75	
	800,884 12	
Less Re-Assurance Premiums	4,379 08	
		796 505 04
Interest and Rents (net)		185,894 86
		$982,399 90

DISBURSEMENTS.

Expenses, Salaries and Commissions, Agents, Doctors, Solicitors, etc.	$187,936 77	
Annuities (Life $5,541.75. Temporary $25,000.00)		30,541 75
TO POLICYHOLDERS.		
Death Claims (net)	$194,031 78	
Endowment Claims	62,663 00	
Surrendered Policies	29,616 74	
Dividends (Cash and T.R's)	63,859 51	
		350,171 03
Dividends to Stockholders and Civic Tax		15,256 82
Balance		398,410 53
		$982,399 90

ASSETS.

Mortgages		$2,166,298 86
Debentures and Government Stock		459,198 31
Real Estate		997,156 82
Loans on Stock and Debentures		124,754 13
Loans on Company's Policies		405,253 72
Fire Premiums due from Mortgagors		5,733 62
Furniture		6,873 87
Advances to Agents, etc., on Security of Salaries and for Travelling Expenses		3,568 46
Sundry Current Accounts		1,838 60
Cash in Banks, $87,134.74; at H.O., $798.55		87,933 29
Outstanding Premiums	$137,858 06	
Deferred Premiums	37,530 22	
	$175,388 28	
Less 10% for collection	17,538 82	
		157,849 46
(Reserve thereon included in Liabilities.)		
Interest and Rents due and accrued		103,733 90
		$4,520,133 04

LIABILITIES.

Assurance and Annuity Funds		$4,001,198 00
Losses by Death accrued (not adjusted)		33,061 85
Fees, Doctors, Directors, etc.		9,906 94
Capital Stock paid up		100,000 00
Dividend due January 1st, 1894		7,500 00
To Policyholders for balance declared Profits (Cash and T.R's)		73,996 93
Cash Surplus above all Liabilities		294,469 32
		$4,520,133 04
Cash Surplus above all Liabilities	$294,469 32	
Capital Stock paid up as above	100,000 00	
Capital Stock subscribed, not called in	900,000 00	
Total Surplus security for Policyholders	$1,294,469 32	

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BUSINESS CARDS.

PRODUCE, Fruit and Commission Merchants L. White & Co, have opened out business on Yates street, next to Langley & Co., druggists; apples and onions just arrived; farm produce received on consignment; prompt account sales rendered. ap8-6t

MEETINGS.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R.—Regular Communication first Thursday each month at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets, at 7:30 p. m. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
ja28-tf C. DUBOIS MASON,
Secretary.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS —Court Cariboo, No. 743, meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month in St. George's Hall, cor. Government and Bastion sts. Visiting brethren welcome. R. Douglas, C. R., A. L. Campbell, R. S. oc15

"ST. ANDREW & CALEDONIAN SOCIETY." Society meets in Caledonia Hall, Blanchard street, on the first Friday in every month. Visiting brethren are invited to attend. E. C. Smith, Secretary. my4-1m

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May 10—Ship "Archer" G. Byrnes.
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THE CITY.

THE B C. Paper Co. yesterday opened offices in the Board of Trade building.

ON THE motion before the Divisional Court yesterday for a new trial in Wolley v. Lowenberg, Harris & Co., Friday, the 11th instant, was fixed for the hearing.

THE closing exercises of Miss McMicking's classes in physical culture will be marked this year with a *bal poudre* in Institute hall on Thursday evening next.

DETACHMENTS of Nos. 2 and 3 Companies of the B C.G.A. performed their class firing yesterday afternoon at Clover Point. It was under the direction of Lieut. Blanchard, the acting adjutant.

THE advance representative of "Si Perkins" was in the city yesterday arranging dates for this attraction. Joseph Grismer and Phœbe Davies will present "The New South" on Saturday evening, May 19.

IN the police court yesterday Harry Taylor was given a month's imprisonment for vagrancy and Sewell Simms six weeks. The case of Shirley Smith, accused of assaulting H. J. Cook by throwing stones at him, was adjourned till Monday.

MRS. DICKENSON'S dancing academy closed the season of '93-94 with a pleasant social party at Harmony hall on Friday, Richardson's orchestra furnishing the music for dancing. Last night the Volunteer social club gave a Sheet-and-Pillow-case party at the same hall.

THE committee of the B. C. Benevolent Society having been requested by a number of ladies to arrange an entertainment for the benefit of the society (whose funds are very low at present, the greater part of its money being locked up in Green, Worlock & Co's. estate), have called a meeting for Tuesday afternoon at the Pioneer hall.

TO-MORROW evening a social will be held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Metropolital Methodist church, at the residence of Mayor Teague, corner of Cook street and Caledonia avenue. There will be a good programme of vocal and instrumental music during the evening, among those to take part being J. G. Brown and Madame Laird.

THE reward offered by the government in the case of W. J. Moggridge of the Belle Mead farm, who was shot and wounded by masked robbers on the 30th of March last, has been increased from $250 to $500. Informants who may have been concerned in the affair not as principals, are promised that they will be recommended to executive clemency.

INDIAN AGENT LOMAS held a meeting of the male members of the Songees tribe last night, in the reservation school house, to elect a council for the year and to consider various other matters of importance to the band. Resolutions were passed devoting a portion of the interest on the funds now held by the Dominion government for them to the regular relief of the aged, destitute or orphaned members of the tribe. Resolutions on other subjects were also adopted, to be forwarded to the Indian department at Ottawa.

THE Chinese passengers booked for this city by the Northern Pacific liner Victoria escaped the usual attention to their personal cleanliness by the city, and consequently were not taken to the suspect station by the health officer for fumigation purposes. The city evidently considers that it would be just as well to take no chances in view of the cases now pending in the courts. At the same time, to avoid any possible ambiguity that may exist in the city health by-law, an amendment is to be introduced to-morrow at the council meeting by Ald. Munn, defining very clearly the powers of the health officer in the matter of disinfecting, purifying and detaining Orientals on suspicion of infection.

CHARLES SINCLAIR was charged in the police court yesterday with using threatening language to A. J. McCrimmon of the steam laundry. The trouble arose after Sinclair's discharge from the laundry, and McCrimmon claims that Sinclair then threatened to break his head with a cane and to burn down the laundry. Sinclair acknowledged using some particularly strong expressions, but denied that he had made the threats charged. The magistrate decided that there was not any necessity to bind over the defendant, and therefore dismissed the case. Mr. Aikman, who appeared for the defence, withdrew a counter charge of assault against George McLeod, growing out of the same trouble.

YOUNG Willie Johnson was a happy boy when he left the dock of the Supreme Court room yesterday, after some kindly advice from Mr. Justice Drake. He had pleaded guilty on Friday to attempted suicide and was remanded till yesterday. His Lordship pointed out to the lad what an unfortunate position he had brought himself to by his rash act. However, inquiry had shown that Johnson bore the character of an honest, hard working and well behaved lad, and his mother had promised to take charge of him and place him under different surroundings. Under the circumstances, the Court, having the power to let him off without punishment, bound him over in the sum of $25 to come up for sentence when called upon, and trusted that the past would be a sufficient lesson.

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To the company that would have insured him
But now the big goat won't apply,
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FIRES WELL HANDLED.

The Brigade Complimented for Care in a Dry Goods House—A Reckless China Boy.

Johnny d a little can
Filled with kerosene—
Poured a little in the stove—
Fire at Sixteen.

Gordon street, or words to that effect. The old combination of wet kindling, an impatient Chinese cook and a handy can of coal oil got in its deadly work at 16 Gordon street at about half-past 7 o'clock yesterday evening. The prompt arrival of the department and the good work of the chemical kept the building, a small wooden shack, standing, but the greater part of the furniture and most of the personal effects of the inmates figure in the list of losses. This will total about $1,000, of which some $300 is on the building itself.

The crowd had scattered and the hose was about reeled up when a wild eyed man arrived with the information that another blaze had just been discovered in the second story of the dry goods establishment of J. Hutcheson, Government street.

In a few minutes the crowd was gazing at a volume of smoke pouring out of the windows of the Westside, and the chemical busily engaged in discouraging the cause, a smouldering pile of clothing.

The cause of the fire has not yet been definitely located, but is charged up to an electric jet. Mr. Maclure, the bookkeeper, states that during the afternoon the employes of the electric light company fixed a jet and must have left it turned on, or defective in some way, and when the power was started the jet fired a pile of jackets upon which it had been left lying.

Mr. Campbell discovered the blaze on returning from dinner, and Mr. Maclure sent in the alarm and conducted the firemen to the exact spot, so that no time was lost in getting down to work.

Owing to the exclusive use of the chemical, the damage done outside of the goods actually burned was merely nominal. The store people are loud in praise of the skilful manner in which the fire was handled. The stock is of such a nature that an immediate estimate of the amount of damages is of doubtful value, but it is placed at from $2,000 to $3,000, which amount is fully covered by insurance in several companies.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

What Was Expected to Be a Particularly Lively Day Interfered With by the Weather.

Yesterday, which promised to be an exceptionally lively day for all interested in athletic sport, passed off very tamely, thanks to the weather. The canoe club postponed their cruise for one week; so did the V.A.C.'s and the James Bays their game of baseball. The Fernwoods succeeded in defeating their Town rivals at ball, by 35 to 11, and almost all other attractions were informally declared off. During the evening the provincial racing board of the C.W.A. held a meeting at the Hotel Victoria, and decided to make certain recommendations to the sports and games committee in regard to the road races here on the 25th inst. Out at the Oak Bay traps the Union gun club had the satisfaction of defeating the Victorias, on a score alike creditable to victors and to "victims."

HERE AND THERE.

The race at Kempton Park yesterday for the great Jubilee stakes of three thousand sovereigns was won by Avington; Prisoner, second; El Diablo, third.

The Inaugural stakes, run for at St. Louis yesterday, were won by Yo Tambien, with Highland second, and Chiswick third. Time—1:18¾.

A baseball glove marked with the name of the owner was lost yesterday afternoon at Beacon Hill. The finder will be rewarded on returning the same.

MONTREAL MATTERS.

Col. Houghton Asked to Explain—The Governor General to Become a Temporary Resident—Missing.

MONTREAL, May 5.—(Special.)—Lieut.-Col. Houghton, deputy adjutant general of the Montreal district, having ordered his officers to attend the reception of the Governor General and Lady Aberdeen in full dress uniform, he has been asked by Major-General Herbert for an explanation concerning an order which the General says should not have been issued.

The Governor General has taken a lease of the residence of the late Sir John Abbott on Sherbrooke street. He intends spending some months in Montreal with his family next winter. Montreal society is delighted in consequence.

William Mackay, of H. M. Customs, late a member of the teaching staff of the Roman Catholic schools here, has been missing from his home since April 21. The affair is a complete mystery. Mackay is 56 years of age.

TORONTO TOPICS.

Prorogation of the Ontario Legislature—Annual Meeting of the Imperial Federation League.

TORONTO, May 5.—(Special)—The Provincial legislature prorogued to-day after the longest session in fifteen years. Lieut.-Governor Kirkpatrick read the speech from the throne. A large number of prominent citizens were present. The session just closed was the last of the present parliament.

The executive committee of the Imperial Federation League in Canada met yesterday and decided to hold their annual meeting at Ottawa on May 29.

Jno. Reddy, a farmer of Scarboro, while felling trees yesterday afternoon was struck by a tree and killed.

PERSONAL.

A. J. Pearsall, Nanaimo, and J. C. Calbreath, of Juneau, Alaska, are at the Oriental.

Among the guests at the Driard are Alexander Fraser, London; J. W. Stearns and A. K. Stearns, New York; and W. E. Hurd, Portland.

COLD STORAGE AT HAND.

R. Dunsmuir & Sons Have Undertaken This Much Wished For Enterprise.

It Will Make Traffic, Give Farmers a Market and Be Convenient for Citizens.

Cold storage warehouses of sufficient capacity to supply the probable needs of Victoria for some time to come will be in operation in the course of the next few months. The rumor as to this enterprise published yesterday turned out to be correct, and during the day the particulars of the scheme were ascertained. It is in the hands of R. Dunsmuir & Sons, and will be managed by Henry Croft, M. P. P. The plans already prepared provide for the conversion of the stone warehouse adjoining the Janion hotel into cold storage compartments; the orders have been given for the refrigerating plant, and the large boilers to supply the power are already on hand, those from the Isabel being available for the purpose. There will be one set of machinery kept constantly in reserve, so as to avoid danger from accident, though this is a remote contingency, for the ammonia brine process which is to be used allows of stoppage of the machinery for hours without any risk to the perishable goods.

The situation for the warehouse has been well chosen, being convenient to both rail and water. That the enterprise will be of advantage to citizens generally is very apparent, this having been made plain during the discussion of a few months ago, when everyone favored the proposition but no one could be found prepared to back his opinion with the substantial amount of capital which Dunsmuir & Sons are now putting in. They are convinced that having cold storage facilities at Victoria will contribute materially to the freight carried by their great enterprises the E. & N. railway and the steamer line to Comox, both of which are expected to prove valuable feeders. Heretofore the farmers along the line of the railway have hesitated about sending their meats, dairy produce, fruits and other perishable stuff to Victoria, lest in the absence of immediate demand it should have to be sold at a sacrifice, or perhaps spoil before finding a buyer. For the future they can grow and ship in confidence, not only that their produce will pass into the consumers' hands in prime condition, but that in case of a temporary glut in the market it can be kept until the most favorable time for selling. If the sheep raising industry can be operated on the large scale which some of the ranchers believe possible, here will be found a good market to which to send the carcases.

To Comox and other parts which now have not the advantage of daily train service, the cold storage at Victoria will be of particular importance, and the problem of finding a regular market for the products of that fine agricultural region will thus be solved. The fertile regions of the Fraser valley and other easily accessible portions of the Mainland are also expected to be large feeders of the warehouse. Then of course its space will be in great demand for the California fruit, and with the diminished risk of spoiling the price of this and all other perishable articles brought to Victoria will no doubt be so reduced as to make an appreciable difference to householders. Victoria's share of the rich cargoes of steamers from Australia, the Fiji islands and Honolulu will no longer have to be taken up to Vancouver to be advantageously handled.

It is a very important feature in connection with this enterprise that in addition to the receiving facilities it will add to the natural importance of Victoria as a distributing centre, and will lead to the establishment here of an industry now very profitably carried on on the Mainland. This is the freezing and packing of fish for export to the markets of Eastern Canada as well as to those across the sea, naturally tributary to Victoria, for the splendid fish with which the adjoining waters teem. It is understood that deep-sea fishing will be carried on on an extensive scale in connection with this enterprise as soon as the warehouse is in good working order.

CHINESE DEPORTATION.

Why the Celestials Are Not to Be Returned on the Northern Pacific Steamers.

The Call at Victoria Affords a Chance of Escape—Some Recent Cases.

According to the Seattle Telegraph, U.S. Commissioner C. D. Emery, of that city, made an order on Thursday for the deportation of a Chinaman to China by way of San Francisco, enclosing with his order to the United States marshal the following explanation: "For a long time the U.S. government deported Chinamen via San Francisco, but for some months they have been sent to the Flowery Kingdom in the Northern Pacific Steamship Company's steamships, which leave Tacoma, and which touch at Victoria, B.C., after leaving United States waters. Instead of the Chinamen going to China in accordance with orders of the U.S. authorities, their friends at Victoria wait for the steamship to arrive there and as soon as it does writs of habeas corpus are procured, and in nine cases out of ten the prisoners aboard the steamship are given their liberty."

All this seems to be based on the fact that five Chinamen ordered deported from the United States were released from the Northern Pacific steamer Tacoma at this port on April 4. When the vessel arrived here friends of these Chinamen had legal steps taken to bring them before the courts. Mr. Thornton Fell was retained to look after the interests of three of these Chinamen, and Mr. Dumbleton the other two. On an order from Mr. Justice Drake the captain was directed to produce the Chinese in court that afternoon, when he explained that they had been put into his hands by the U. S. courts for deportation back to China. They were, he said, "involuntary passengers," which was evidently the case, as they were securely locked up in a room aboard the vessel till the judge's order was obeyed. Naturally not being offenders against any Canadian law and as their poll tax was paid for them here by friends, Judge Drake ordered their release from the custody of the captain of the Tacoma.

Collector Milne, when spoken to about the matter yesterday, said these were the only deported Chinamen who had taken out *habeas corpus* proceedings here. He pointed out at the same time that had the Tacoma on her arrival here in the first place from China, entered her full complement of one Chinaman to 50 tons register she could not on her return to Victoria from the Sound have landed any more, as it would have been under the law regarded not as a new voyage, but a continuation of the one from China. Consequently if in such a case *habeas corpus* proceedings were taken out to land Chinese, they would conflict with the Dominion immigration law and otherwise no order to land would likely be granted by the courts.

Mr. H. E. Connon, agent of the Northern Pacific steamers, when shown the Seattle item, pronounced the thing greatly exaggerated.

"There were just five landed," he said, "and two of them only were deported from the United States—the others had been refused landing there altogether. If we had had our full complement on the inward trip, the *habeas corpus* proceedings would have been of no avail. It just chanced that the Tacoma was a few short of her limit that run."

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F. S. HUSSEY,
Superintendent of Provincial Police.
Victoria, B.C., May 5th, 1894. my6

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THE CHURCHES.

Bishop Perrin's Afternoon Meeting for Men--Announced Topics for the Day's Sermons.

Visiting Clergymen Announced to Speak From Several of the City Pulpits.

Sunday after Ascension.

Christ Church cathedral, Church Hill—8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., matins and sermon; 4 p.m., address to men only, by the Bishop; Holy Communion by the Bishop; 7 p.m., evensong and sermon.

St. Barnabas church, Cook street and Caledonia avenue—Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 3 p.m.; girls' Bible class, 4 p.m.; evening prayer and sermon at 7 p.m. Preacher, morning and evening, the rector.

Church of the Holy Saviour, Victoria West—Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m; services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Preacher, Rev. W. D. Barber. Children's service at 3 p.m.

St. Luke's church, Cedar Hill—Matins and Holy Communion, with sermon, at 11 a.m.; evensong and sermon, 7 p.m. Evensong and sermon at St. Michael's, Lake, at 3 p.m.; Rev. J. W. Flinton, pastor.

St. Mark's church, Boleskine road—8 a.m., matins; 11 a.m., missa cantata; 3 p.m., Sunday school; 3:45, children's service; 4:15 p.m., men's Bible class; 7 p.m., evensong and sermon. Rev. W. H. P. Arden, priest incumbent.

St. Paul's church, Esquimalt—Usual services throughout the day.

St. James church, James Bay—Venerable Archdeacon Scriven, pastor; usual services throughout the day.

St. John's church, Douglas and Fisgard streets—Rev. Percival Jenns, pastor. Services as usual throughout the day.

St. Andrew's (R C) cathedral, Blanchard and View streets—Services as usual throughout the day.

Church of Our Lord (R E), Humboldt street—Usual services, morning and evening; preacher, Right Rev. Bishop Cridge. To-day being the first Sunday in the month the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of morning service. Sunday school at 3 p.m.

King's Road Mission (R.E), corner Third street—Evangelical Church of England services, 11 a.m., and 7 p.m; Sunday school, 3 p.m; preacher, Rev. G C. King.

Metropolitan Methodist church, Pandora Avenue and Quadra street—Services as usual at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; the pastor, Rev. S. Cleaver, M A., preaching. Evening subject: "The Building of the Tabernacle."

Centennial Methodist church, Gorge road—Rev. Joseph Hall, pastor. Quarterly love feast at 10 a.m; 11 a.m., Rev. Rowland Williams, of Skeyness, Lincolnshire, Eng., will preach; 7 a.m, sermon by the pastor. At the close of the evening public service, the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

James Bay church, Menzies and Michigan streets—Rev. E Robson, pastor, will preach at 11 a.m., the Communion afterwards being administered; preaching at 7 p.m. by Rev. John Robson, of Union.

Methodist church, Victoria West—Rev. Geo. H. Morden, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Herald street Mission—Chinook service at 2:30 p.m. by Rev. E Robson; evangelistic service in English at 7 o'clock.

Spring Ridge—Sunday school anniversary in the Odd Fellows' hall at 3 p.m. Sermon to the children by Rev. John Robson, of Union.

Calvary Baptist church, Herald street—Rev. Thomas Baldwin, the pastor, will preach morning and evening. Order of services: 10:15 a.m., prayer meeting in parlor; 11 a.m., usual service with sermon, "The Glory of the Divine City"; 3 p.m., Sunday school; 6:15 p.m., B. Y. P. U prayer meeting; 7 p.m., sermon on "The Divine Love"; 8 p.m. Thursday, prayer meeting.

Burnside Mission—Mr. Marchant will conduct service at 7 p.m.

Emmanuel Baptist church, North Chatham street and Fernwood road—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Dr. John Lang preaching in the morning, and the pastor, Rev. P. H. McEwen, at 7 p.m. Evening subject, "Overruled for Good."

First Presbyterian church, corner of Blanchard and Pandora streets—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; the pastor, Rev. Dr. Campbell, being absent from the city, a suitable supply will be arranged.

St. Andrew's church, Douglas and Broughton streets—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by Rev. J. N. Macleod, of Vancouver.

Central church, Pandora avenue and Broad street—Rev. P. McF. Macleod, pastor. Services as usual; Mr. W. Marchant preaching in the morning, and Rev. Ebenezer Robson in the evening.

St. Paul's church, Victoria West—Rev. D. MacRae, pastor; services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Theosophical Society, 212 View street—Meeting as usual at 8 p.m.

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NOTICES.

Registration of Voters

VICTORIA CITY ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

"Legislative Electorates and Elections Act, 1894"

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with section 11 of the "Legislative Electorates and Election Act, 1894," that under section 10 of said Act I have, with the aid of five persons, scrutinized the Register of Voters of the Victoria City Electoral District, and have removed therefrom the names of all persons who are shown to be residents in other Electoral Districts of the Province, that I have transmitted the names of the persons so removed to the Collector of Voters where they reside, that I have dropped from the said Register the names of all those persons particulars of whose residences are not given upon the closed Register of Voters of said Victoria City Electoral District, and that I have dropped from the said Register the names of those persons whom I cannot find to be resident within the said District, and also that I did complete the said scrutiny on the 30th day of April, 1894.

Further notice is hereby given that in accordance with section 11 of the "Legislative Electorates and Elections Act, 1894," I do now publish the following lists, namely:

1. A list containing the names which have been transferred to other districts.

2. A list containing the names of all those persons which have been dropped from the lists, namely, (1) the names of those persons particulars of whose residences are not given upon the closed Register of Voters, marked herein under the column headed "cause" thus "insufficient address"; (2) the names of those persons whom I cannot find to be resident within the district, marked herein under said column thus "non-resident"; (3) the names of all who are dead (see Provincial Voters' Act, 1876, sub-section (g) of section 6), marked herein under said column thus "dead"; and (4) the names of those persons who have erroneously applied to be enrolled more than once and have been so entered upon the said Register, such entries being marked in said column thus "duplicate."

Note.—In such cases of duplication the voter's name now appears but once on the Register.

Under the provisions of section 11 of the "Legislative Electorates and Elections Act, 1894," any person who objects that his name has been improperly dropped from the Register, and claims that he is entitled to be registered as a voter, may, or the agent or friend of such person may, at any time before the termination of four weeks from the date of the first advertisement of this notice in the British Columbia Gazette apply to have such name reinstated, and the Collector may, if satisfied of identity, and that such person is resident and entitled to be registered as a voter, restore his name to the Register.

JOHN B. McKILLIGAN,
Collector of Voters for the Victoria City Electoral District.
Court House, Victoria, 30th day of April, 1894.

NOTE—The above is the official certificate of the Collector as it appears in the B. C. Gazette, but as the act merely requires the names to be advertised in the daily paper, the full information as to residence, occupation, cause, etc., is not given in the list below, the names only being given. In places where the names have been duplicated upon the closed Register, the duplicate name is included in the following list of dropped names, and if voters will, in such cases, call at the office of the Collector they will find that their names are properly retained on the Register. Reference is made to the B. C. Gazette for the full particulars as to residence, occupation, cause of dropping, etc.

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LIST CONTAINING THE NAMES WHICH HAVE BEEN TRANSFERRED TO OTHER DISTRICTS.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO CASSIAR ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Blenkinsop, George; Charter, Henry; Kendal, George; Langley, James; Launsen, Bernard; McCurdie, Alexander; McIver, Malcolm; Sutherland, Daniel; Woollacott, Philip.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO NORTH NANAIMO ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

MacManus, Robert.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO NORTH VICTORIA ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Armstrong, Wilson Joseph; McCondock, George; Wright, Alexander; Robertson, William.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO THE WESTMINSTER RIDING OF DEWDNEY.

Brown, Frederick A.; Pearce, William; Innes, William.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO COMOX ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Creech, Samuel; Killand, George; Grant, Walter Thornton B.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO NANAIMO CITY ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Davies, Thomas Loyd; Dixon, Albert; Findlay, William Turnbull; Glaholm, John W.; Harrison, Ell, Jr.; Marks, Wm.; Merriman, William; McTeigh, Peter; Nash, Alfred; Rendell, Edward; Sharpless, Issac; Smith, Charles Lawson; Stannard, Frank John; Stannard, John Spatchet; Pape, John; Wilson, Robert; Taylor, Charles; Stanton, Herbert.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO THE EAST KOOTENAY ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Dunn, Joseph; Hamilton, Thomas M.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO THE WEST KOOTENAY ELECTORAL DISTRICT—NORTH RIDING.

Patterson, John.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO THE WEST KOOTENAY ELECTORAL DISTRICT—SOUTH RIDING

Bernard, Theodore; Crossdalle, Henry Edward; Fitzstubbs, Napoleon; Goepel, William John; Gray, Pierrepont Hamilton; Keen, John; Lee, William; Mahony, Michael Joseph; Murdock, John; McInnes, Gus; Russell, Thomas Cork; Troup, H. Rose.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO YALE ELECTORAL DISTRICT—NORTH RIDING.

Green, Charles DeBlois.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO YALE ELECTORAL DISTRICT—WEST RIDING.

Berberick, John; Blackbourn, Joseph.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO YALE ELECTORAL DISTRICT—EAST RIDING.

Appleton, Frederick.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO VANCOUVER CITY ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Baer, W. Wesley; Calhoun, William Anderson; Clinton, Henderson Flennes; Cornish, John C.; Foster, Joseph; Howard, James; Keith, James Cooper; King, Atwell C. R.; Lodge, William; Lodge, Albert; McDonald, Duncan Fraser; McGirr, William; McKnight, George; McKay, William John; Noble, Andrew; Oldfield, John William; Reveley, Frederick; Rhodes, Harry; Robertson, Gideon; Rumble, John; Seaton, William Jackson; Sinclair, Joseph Walter; Sledger, Robert; Stephens, George; Thain, Joseph Hamm; Towey, Frank; William, Edward; Wilson, Alexander; Winch, Frank Kent; Wilkes, Alexander; Wilson, William; Wilson, Charles.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO SOUTH VICTORIA ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Bone, Thomas Sawdy; Bowker, John Sylvester; Branch, Samuel; Brown, George Henry Wilson; Brownlee, James Harrison; Brownlie, Thomas; Castleton, Henry; Cunningham, Robert Andrew; Crook, George Rutland E.; Davidson, Alexander; Deacon, Benjamin; Elliott, William Alfred; Fraser, George; Grant, William Charles; Harriott, William; Hick, William; Hilton, Squire; Hick, George; Howel, Benj. E.; Howel, Alfred; Holmes, William Edward; Hunt, John; Jolly, James Benedick; Johnson, Lionel C.; Leeds, Alfred; Maynard, Joseph; Nalrne, Roderick; Pauline, Frederick; Pierre, Thomas Whiting; Thistle, William H.; Tway, John; Berridge, George; Strachan, Andrew; Cavin, Robert S.; O'Brien, John; Mycock, Henry; Smith, Henry; Olaver, John; Russell, John Jabez.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO THE COWICHAN-ALBERNI ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Aspdin, Edwin; Barlow, George; Botterell, Matthew; Campbell, James; Campbell, James McLeod; Campbell, Alexander Sutherland; Devine, John; Dickie, Charles Herbert; Dickson, William; Dwyer, William M.; Goodman, Samuel H.; Healey, James.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO ESQUIMALT ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Begg, John; Few, Alfred; Healey, William; Jeffrey, Robert William; Jones, William Henry McNaughton; Kay, William; McAskell, Daniel; Oliver, John; Peacock, George; Pridmore, William; Rutter, Solomon; Smith, Jennings; Walker, James Gordon; Healy, William; Jackson, Richard; Mann, George; Woods, Alfred Annesley; Young, J. H.; Oldershaw, Alfred; Haslam, James Henry; Greenhalgh, John.

LIST OF PERSONS TRANSFERRED TO NEW WESTMINSTER CITY ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Jackson, Oliver; Kehoe, Henry; Leslie, Andrew; Mouat, Anthony Charles; McLeod, John Peter; Patterson, Andrew; Reid, John; Shinabarger, John Jay; Roberts, James Frederick; Wilkinson, George.

JOHN B. McKILLIGAN,
Collector of Voters, Victoria City Electoral District.

2.

A list containing the names of all those persons which have been dropped from the Voters Lists of Victoria City Electoral District:

Adair, J.; Adie, Frederick; Aden, Alexander; Alcorn, John P.; Allen, John; Allen, Robert; Alexander, John; Allan, John G.; Anderson, William; Andrews, David Henry; Anderson, William Cummings; Anderson, George Cumming; Anderson, Thomas; Anderson, Andrew Rennie; Anansen, Charley; Armstrong, John; Armstrong, Robert J.; Atwood, Francis George Clifton; Atkinson, Francis; Authors, Alfred James; Aveyard, George; Abls, Issac; Adams, Frederick; Adams, H. E. T.; Adamthwaite, Walter; Anderson, James; Andrews, Samuel C.; Archer, Thomas; Armstrong, John; Atkinson, William Douglas.

Babbage, George Henry; Bailey, Madison, Francis; Baines, William Edward; Back, John; Bayley, Hudson William; Baker, Charles William; Baker, Richard; Bakewell, James; Ball, John James; Bazire, Pierre Victor M.; Ball, W. R.; Bacar, Noel Joseph; Barker, William; Balthazar, Denny; Baxter, William H.; Barry, Alfred N.; Beegan, Francis Joseph; Beegan, Frank; Bennallick; Thomas; Bell, Robert J.; Bernard, Leon; Bennett, Harry, Begg, Roderick N.; Bishop, Caleb; Black, Alexander Grant; Black, John; Blume, C. E.; Blackwell, George; Black, Alexander; Bolton, William Benjamin; Booth, George Henry; Boatts, Joseph; Briggs, Thomas Lasher; Brown, Jesse; Britton, Rowland; Brown, Porter Metcalf; Brown, John; Browne, John; Brown, Wm. B.; Brennan, Wm.; Briggs, Albert J.; Britney, H.; Bradley, Henry; Buchanan, J. Campbell, Burbridge, John; Buckler, Thomas; Buck, George Thomas; Buckler, William S.; Burke, Patrick; Butt, George; Baird, Joseph; Baines, John Harry; Barker, James; Barnett, Richard; Barnswell, James; Barrett, George; Ballantyne, David; Bain, Thomas H.; Barbour, M. Robert; Babbington, William; Boulton, Thomas Cecil; Boland, Thomas; Brady, James; Brierly, Samuel; Brown William Robie; Bruce, Hugh; Brewster, Charles; Bradley, George W.; Brehil, Hugh; Bragg, William; Brown, William; Brocklehurst, James Shilton; Burge, Joseph; Burgess, Stephen S.; Butler, Peter; Buttomer, Frank; Burton, Henry; Baker, Edward Stanton; Bedford, George; Beaton, J.; Bentley, Thomas; Benedict, Robert Howard; Bennett, Edwin R.; Bigger, A. W.; Bingham, George; Blantern, John W.; Boyle, George Anderson; Bowden, James; Bowden, William H.

Cadman, William R.; Callanan, Michael; Campbell, Bernard James; Caperle, Horace; Carroll, James; Carson, John; Carter, James; Carter, James; Carson, William George; Cartledge, Joseph Samuel; Card, Silas; Carrol, James; Cartheart, Henry; Cameron, Edwin; Chandler, John F.; Chudley, William M.; Chater, Henry; Chalut, Rudolph; Clyde, Alexander; Claydon, Issac; Clark, James; Clushman, Christopher; Clark, Arthur W.; Clunes, Glenray; Coakes, Charles; Coloni, James Burges; Cooke, Robert H.; Cowan, William; Cowper, Henry Meadows; Cousins, Edward C.; Conin, Leonard; Coffin, Leigh C.; Cronshaw, George; Crist, De Witt; Crawford, J. M.; Crozier, John; Cuthbertson, Robt.; Cameron, Allan R.; Cameron, John W.; Carter, Chas.; Carter, Robt.; Campbell, Archibald; Carlitapulos, John; Carter, Walter J.; Challifour, Francois Chaffer, Henry; Christian, Michael J.; Clarke, James; Clarke, Wm.; Clark, Arthur J.; Clarke, John Allen; Clarke, Robert; Clark, Edwin; Clarnes, William; Clarke, Milton; Clear, John; Clear, John; Court, Alexander Young; Cowan, Alexander, Cowan, Maynard Havelock; Corskel, Gordon; Cornish, Charles; Collister, William Henry; Condron, James Lucas; Cowle, Isaac; Cook, George John; Croft, Robert; Cameron, Allan.

Daley, James J.; Dawson, Edward; Dahl, Oscar A.; Day, Fred; Davis, Edward; Daly, Timothy; Davis, Charles; Davies, William; Daly, Thomas; Degan, Dennis; Dewsnap, Joseph; Dexter, Robert; DesBrisay, De La Cour; DeBac, Octal; Denney, William Edward; Delacy, George; Dillon, George Washington; Dimick, Nathaniel B.; Dockerty, Artemus; Doherty, William; Donahue, A.; Donald, Edwin; Donevan, James; Dorman, John; Doyle, William; Dowsett, Harry; Dowdall, Richard P.; Dorval, Joseph; Don, Hector; Dolan, Peter Joseph; Doyle, Dennis; Drury, Richard James; Drew, G. H.; Drummond, Thomas; Driscol, Jeremiah; Dwyer, William J.; Davis, Edward; Dawson, Alexander; Davis, John Hardwick; Davey, Geo.; Davidson, Robert; Davis, David; Delong, William; DePau, John; Devlin, Joseph C.; Dosseter, Edward; Draper, Thomas; Dunnett, George

Edwards, John; Edwards, Charles; Elphanstone, Roger; Elliott, William George; English, Robert; Essenwine, Frank; Ettershank, William; Ewen, Thomas; Eyde, John H.; English, Abraham; English, John George; Endec, Herbert Watson.

Fan, Alfred; Fraser, Andrew; Fraser, Donald; Fried, Cearow; Fraser, John; Frebman, Thomas; Fagg, James; Farwell, Arthur Stanhope; Fawcett, Thomas Lea; Ferguson, James; Fennell, Thomas; Fitz Allen, J.; Fitzgerald, John; Foster, Robert; Foote, John; Francis, George; Fraser, Stewart; Franklin, Jesse; Francis, John Lewellyn; Fraser, Daniel; Fisher, George B.; Fisher, James E.; Flenore, Arthur; Flemery, William; Fox, Henry; Foster, John William; Fox, Charles Mowbray; Fowlie, Gavin; Forster, John William; Fose, George Thomas; Fountain, Albert.

Gamble, Gordon; Gabriel, Alexander; Gaskell, Joseph; Gankroger, Harry; Garboury, Joseph; Galbraith, William; Gibb, David; Gillespie, Samuel B.; Gillis, Murdock W.; Gibson, Alexander; Gilligan John; Glaister, Robert; Goodwin, Samuel Henry; Goodwin, Oliver Hubbard; Gough, Joseph; Gordon, William Bruce; Goodwin, William; Gorman, James; Gordon, Benjamin; Graham, Peter; Graham, Victor; Gray, James; Green, Charles; Grier, James William; Grimason, John; Gray, Joseph James; Grant, Donald, Griffith, William; Gray, Alexander; Grant, George, Alexander; Guthro, William; Gulmond, Zepheim; Gilpin, Thomas; Gilmour, William; Goater, Henry James; Goldstone, Joseph; Goodfellow, Henry; Goodman, William; Gordon, Joseph; Godfrey, George Hamilton; Gold, William; Gough, Thomas; Goldner, William; Graham, James; Graham, John Robert; Graham, Thomas; Graham, William H.; Grant, Arthur; Grant, Robert; Gray, Henry; Grimason, William; Graham, Richard; Grabble, Frank; Green, Ira A.; Graham, Donald Dyley; Gullion, Charles F.; Guyton, Ernest A.; Gweenas, James; Gamble, Leslie; Gamman, Rowland; Gaskell, Richard; Gallagher, J.; Gardner, Joseph; Gambel, Gordon D.; Georgeson, Henry; Gibbons, Lister; Gibson, Andrew; Gilchrist, George; Gill, Alfred Samuel.

Hardy, James; Hallitt, Georges; Harris, Clairborne; Harris, James; Harrison, James; Hasiam, Edward William; Hatherly, Samuel; Hall, B. C.; Hanson, George; Harper, Frederick William; Harden, Herman; Harrison, William E.; Harris, John; Hay, Francis; Hardie, George; Hawthorn, Thomas; Hanson, Samuel; Hawes, George Edward; Harder, Herman; Halcrow, Laurence; Heal, David; Heal, John; Henderson, James; Hendry, Thomas; Hercy, Peter; Heaney, Joseph; Hendry, Robert; Heritage, H. J.; Hemming, Thomas; Henderson, J. H.; Henderson, Henry; Heather, James; Heddle, Robert; Hicky, Dennis; Hilborn, William Lot; Hooper, David Goodson; Hill, Wm.; Hill, Edward; Hicks, William; Hill, Frank H.; Holmes, Alfred James; Hodges, Thomas Henry; Hodnett, Alexander A.; Hosking, William; Humber, Frederick Stewart L.; Humphreys, Charles; Hughes, James Hezekiah; Huthinson, Alexander; Huchinson, Henry Arthur; Hague, Henry; Hampton, William, jr.; Hardman, Edward; Hardman, James; Harrison, William Alfred; Hart, Emile Abraham; Hawton, John; Hayman, William; Halls, William; Hamman, James; Hanson, James; Harding, Albert; Haughton, William; Hayes, George Edward; Hawke, Joseph; Harvey, Allen; Hay, Francis; Heathcote, George Vincent; Henderson, Henry; Hemmings, Thomas; Helman, John; Hewitt, Thomas; Hickey, Patrick; Higgins, Ell; Hinton, John; Howe, Edward; Howard, Henry; Homans, James; Honnan, Samuel; Howard, John; Hubbard, Thomas Charles; Hughes, John Frost; Hughes, John McD.; Hughes, Morgan; Hughes, Leverett W.; Hugh, T. N. B.; Hunt, A. G.; Hunter, Robert A.; Hyalt, Gilbert.

Irwin, Dixon; Ibbotson, James; Irvine, Peter; Ilman, Alfred; Irwin, David; Irvine, William.

Jackson, John; Jameson, Michael; Jameson, Neil; Jeeves, Alan; Jessop, John Charles; Jones, Alfred M.; Jones, Stephen; Jones, William; John, Martin; Johnson, Oliver; Jones, Edward; Jones, Frederick Crosely; Jordan, William; Jackson, William, jr.; Jardine, Percival, R.; Jamieson, Laughlin; Jamison, Neal; Jennings, Arthur; Johnson, John Albert; Johnston, William; Joyce, Alexander Paul; Joyce, George William; Johnson, William; Johnson, Robert Jewett; Jones, William; Jones, Harry V.; Jones, Walter Herbert; Juloff, Frederick John.

Kelly, St. E., jr.; Keldie, Robert; Kerr, J. R.; Kiernan, Thomas; King, Christopher John; King, Jabez Hill; King, James; Kirchberger, Samuel; King, John; Kirk, Irwin; Kearin, William; Keil, Charles; Kenning, James Alexander; Kains, Francis; Kay, Alexander; Kennedy, George W.; Ker, Walter H.; Ker, Robert James; Kirby, Thomas; Kirkpatrick, William; Knight, Mathew John.

Lambert, Nathaniel; Lardener, James Lancaster; Laporte; Langley, Henry; Lascelles, James; Laplerre, Horace; Lancaster, Thomas; LaFrance, Ambrose; Lambeth, William; Levy, Lewis; Lattimore, John; Laing, Andrew; Lancaster, Thomas; Lawson, Bernard; Leach, James Albert; Leach, John; Leclair, Noel; Lewis, John; Lewis, Sherman Mark; Levy, Joseph; Lee, Arthur; Leaf, James; Leach, Felix H.; Letterington, John F.; Lewis, Thomas W.; Lewingston, Jas.; Lewis, Richard; Livock, William T.; Litester, Edward; Lloyd, Thomas; Logg, John; Lowell, Thomas; Loring, James; Lukin, W. G.; Lewis, R. H.; Lewis, Samuel; Leet, Johnson M.; Lee, Geo. Wm. Rupert; Lee, William; Legg, Edward; Lefurgey, Maynard; Liddell, John; Lindsay, William; Lindsay, Thomas James; Livingstone, Jas; Lovell, James; Lomas, George; Lockhart, Charley Beardsall; Lewis, Robert Oliver

Mackenzie, Duncan; Mandart, Joseph Marie; Mann, Henry Thomas; Maguire, Bernard; Marrion, Arthur; Marshall, Frederick Charles; Marwick, James; Maslen, William; Mason, George; Mason, Jesse; Matthews, John; Matthews, John; Matthews, John Devine; Martin, William Chantrell; Mackinlay, William Scott; Macaskill, Alexander; Magill, David; Maloney, Thos; Marsh, George; Mallandaine, Frederick; Macpherson, John; Marcquis Zepheim; Macdonald, John; Maynard, James; Martin, Thomas; Martin, Edmund Richard; Mason, George; Mackenzie, William G.; Menany, John A; Medana, Romolo; Merriman, Thos; Melkle, James; Miller, Charles John; Miller, John Ferguson; Minor, Thomas T.; Mitchell, Andrew; Mitchell, Thomas; Millett, George; Moffatt, Hamilton; Moohr, Charles; Mortimer, Thomas; Moar, Charles; Mockler, Thomas; Mortimer, James H.; Montgomery, James; Monro, George; Macauley, Thomas; Marlon, Frank; Marshall, Graham; Martin, Simon; Mackey, Charles; Mather, Alexander; March, George; Mathews, R. L.; Maxwell, Alexander; Magim, David; Maguffin, John; Mallison, Fielden; Martin, George Henry; Margetts, Robert William; Marston, Orlando; Mable, S. A.; Mixvillers, Joe; Moore, James; Moore, John James; Moore, Thomas; Monk, Alfred; Moir, Jas. Hanley; Moore, George; Morley, Frank; Morales, Joseph; Munroe, Daniel; Munsie, William; Murphy, Arthur; Murray, James; Murphy, Thomas; Munro, Charles B.; Murphy, William; Munro, Robert McKenzie; Morson, William; Murphy, Patrick; Murphy, Patrick; Murphy, Patrick; Murphy, P. J.; Munro, Duncan; Munro, Alexander; McAllister, George; McAllister, John; McAndrew, Thomas; McCamus, John; McConnell, Joseph William; McCormack, Samuel; McCormick, John; McCallum, Malcolm Sinclair; McCartney, John; McCantra, Jno.; McDonald, Charles W.; McDonald, James; McDonald, Peter; McDonald, William; McDonald; McDonell, William Joseph; McAllister, T. B.; McAnall, David; McBlanc, Charles; McBride, Samuel; McBurnie, R.; McCarty, Patrick; McCord, William Cameron; McCormack, Charles P.; McConnan, Thomas; McCarrach, William; McCarthy, David; McClean, Frederick; McCann, Thos.; McCall, Edmund John; McCaul, Edmund John; McCarter, William; McConnell, Thos; McDonald, William; McDonald, John W.; McDonald, David; McDermid, Hugh Colin; McDonald, John R.; McDered, Edward; McFarland, Joseph Walter; McFarland, Geo; McGregor, James Hood; McGill, John; McGill, James; McGregor, Percy; McGowan, Henry William; McGregor, George; McHaidy, William; McHugh, Samuel; McIntyre, Alexander; McKenzie, Hector; McKevitt, Michael; McKay, Donald George; McKay, George; McKay, Robert; McKeon, R.; McKilkarik, Wm.; McLean, Langlin; McLean, Donald; McMillan, R.; McMorran, Robinson; McManus, J.; McNaughton, Frederick; McNearney, John; McNeill, Alexander; McPherson, Daniel; McQuade, William; McDonald, Edward; McDougall, John Hector; McDougal, Roderick; McDonald, Geo. Henry; McDonald, Archibald J.; McDonald, David Gunn; McDonald, Patrick; McGinty, Mike, McGregor, James H.; McGill, David; McGregor, Moses; McInnes, Alexander; McIntosh, James; McKinnon, Neil; McKechnie, Harper; McKinnon, John; McKell, Robert E.; McKinnon, Malcolm; McKay, Charles; McKenzie, Arthur; McLacklen, Robert Kirkwood; McLaren, Alexander; McLarty, Archibald; McLean, John; McLellan, Malcolm; McLean, Milton; McLaren, Alexander; McMeil, Lewis; McNamee, Jas.; McNeill, Fred; McNiffe, William; McPherson, Donald; McPhee, Daniel; McQuade, Patrick; McShannock, Alexander; McTernan, Patrick; McWilliams, Thomas.

Naughton, J. M.; Nawlan, David; Neild, Henry; Newman, Frederick; Nelson, Alexander; Nelson, John; Nottle, A.; Noyle, Thomas; Nagle, Daniel; Nairne, Charles Robert; Neison, William Robert; Newsom, George; Nicholson, Charles Norman; Nicholson, Herbert; Norris, John Gustavus; Nolan, David.

O'Rourke, Patrick; O'Neil, E. H. W.; Ogilvie, George Hunter; Otterson, Andrew; Owen, William; O'Leary, Henry Joseph; Owen, William David; O'Sullivan, Humphrey; O'Connor, John J.; Ogelvie, John; Oliver, R.; On, William John; Orr, James; Osterhaut, Wilfred Edgar; Ouellette, Napoleon.

Palmer, George Bennett; Parker, George; Patterson, William D.; Patterson, James; Pattison, William; Pace, William; Parsonage, William; Pauline, William H.; Patton, James; Parsons, George; Patton, William F.; Patterson, William; Parker, George; Person, C. Velo; Pettlerew, William Campbell; Pettlerew, Hugh; Penny, Daniel; Peyto, W.; Pearce, William; Pettlerew, Hugh T.; Pettit, William; Perdue, Alfred; Pedelty, Ralph; Phillips, Geo. Benj. Martin; Phillips, Joseph; Phoenix, Joseph; Phillips, John; Pike, Charles; Pike, Thomas; Pleace, Alfred; Plummer, Robert Johnston; Porter, Edwin Patrick; Poudrier, Omer Lemay; Pyatt, Joseph; Pascoe, John; Paritt, Fred; Parsonage, William; Paull, Thomas J.; Paterson, Alexander; Palmer, Charles; Peters, Andrew; Pearson, Thomas; Phillips, Jams; Pigott, Robert; Pickard, James Wilson; Pike, Albert; Pinder, Arthur G. J.; Poat, Edward A.; Pope, Thomas Albert; Portmore, Edgar; Pottinger, James; Powers, David; Prout, John; Pryce, John; Pridham, Henry R.; Price, Edward.

Quardros, Joseph.

Raynor, Arthur T. C.; Regan, Jas; Reid, Frank D.; Richards, John; Riordan, James; Richardson, Peter Frank; Richards, James; Rickard, George; Richard, Fortune; Richardson, Henry; Roberts, Edward; Robinson, George; Robinson, John Benjamin; Rafferty, Charles; Redgrave, Stephen; Rendell, Richard; Redgrav, Stroud L.; Reardon, John; Richards, Francis Gilbart, Jr.; Riley, John; Ripe, David Cornelius; Ridder, Peter de; Ritchey, William; Robinson, Jonathan; Rodgers, Matthew; Rodgerson, Fred; Rombough, Charles Augstine; Ross, Alexander; Ross, William M.; Routledge, William Henry; Rome, Andrew; Rourke, John; Rowe, Phillip; Robinson, John R.; Roberts, Allen; Robison, James; Robinson, Leonard; Robinson, George W.; Rowe, John; Robson, James L.; Robinson, William; Rogerson, Isaac; Rutherford, Archibald; Russell, Wm. Annesley; Ruttern, William Stewart; Russell, Thomas; Ruckley, Thomas; Ruthven, John; Russell, Daniel; Roland, Charles F.; Rollin, James S.; Robertson, Alexander; Ross, William McKenzie; Robertson, Geo.; Robeira, Thomas; Robeira, John; Robinson, Frederick; Roberts, John William; Robinson, William Henry; Roscoe, Richard; Rose, William R.; Roe, Irving.; Ruck, Dan; Russell, David; Ruelland, Lewis; Rudge, Herbert; Ryan, Michael.

Salmond, Samuel; Sarson, John; Sanderson, George; Sanlay, Charles; Scotchmer, John; Scott, Adam; Scott, Henry John; Schaiff, Frank; Scoble, James Henry; Schofield, Robert; Scott, James; Sea, Charles; Selk, George R. B.; Sherring, Samuel Jas. Highmore; Short, William Albert; Sampson, John; Saunders, Thomas; Scott, William; Schutz, Fred; Scuyler, H. Hartley; Sene, Pierre; Sharpe, Joseph; Shaw, Andrew; Sherhart, Joseph Lewis; Short Edwards; Shanks, Matthew; Sharp, Kendrick; Simmons, Anthony; Simpson, George; Simon, George; Simpson, Benjamin; Smith, James Sansberry; Smith, Robert; Smith, Robert; Smith, Charles; Smith, James; Smith, William; Smith, Edwin; Simpson, Donald; Smith, John; Smith, J. B.; Smith, W. J.; Sorensen, Nelson; Sproat, Gilbert Malcolm, Stanhope, Bertie; Stark, Thomas; Steitz, George; Stevens, George; Stronnach, Alfred V.; Stirling, John; Stephen, Norman; Stradford, James; Stevens, John; Stephens, Richard F.; Starr, John Edward; Stocks, Joseph H.; Sullivan, John; Shade, Edward David; Sheppard, Isaac John; Shakespeare, F.; Sherbourne, Frederick; Silva, John Francis; Skinner, John D.; Smith, Alfred; Smith, Charles; Smith, Herman Charles Robert; Smith, John; Smith, John; Smith, Joseph; Smith, James; Smith, Oliver J. L.; Smith, Robert; Smith, Willie C.; Smith, Charles; Smith, Edwin F.; Somerville, Samuel; Spohr, Carl Frederick; Speret, George; Squire, Fred J.; Stevenson, Thomas William; Stockham, Frederick; Stothard, William; Stewart, Alexander; Stewart, Joseph P.; Stewart, William Eason; Stephenson, John J.; Stevens, Allan; Stewart, John; Surgenor, George; Sullivan, Patrick.

Teague, John A., Jr; Tepoorten, Charles A.; Thompson, James Wilson; Thompson, William; Thorn, Andrew; Thomas, William D.; Thearon, W.; Thomas, Samuel; Towey, Michael; Tooley, Thomas; Trace, John; Tuck, Samuel Parker; Turnbull, Robert; Turnbull, Oliver; Taylor, A. W.; Thompson, William Spears; Thornber, Laurence; Thompson, Crawford; Tickell, John; Touet, John; Trounce, William; Trutch, John; Tredale, Wilson; Tuckfield, Francis Lee; Turnbull, Robert; Turnbull, William; Turner, Archibald; Turner, Benjamin; Turner John Arthur; Tyson, Thomas.

Vachon, Edward; Vernon, William H.; Verdier, Stephen; Verdier, John.

Wainwright, Joseph; Walker, James; Wallace, Charles Wentworth; Ward, Robert Henry; Watts, William; Wark, John Henry; Walsh, William H.; Warren, Charles Thornton; Walsh, M. W.; Warren, Augustus; Watson, Thomas; Watson, John; Webb, Christopher, Welsh, Henry; West, Christopher; West, Frank; Weber, Frank; Westall; George W.; Wilcox, Joseph J.; Wilson, Joseph; Wilson, Thomas; Winsley, William Frest; Williams, Edward; Wilson, J.; Wilson, J. W.; Wilson, C.; Wilson, Jos. F.; Wilson, John W.; Wilson, John; Wilson, John; Wilson, John; Whittingham, Frederick; Woodruff, Ephralm; Workman, Aaron; Wood, George Alexander; Wood, James; Woodward, Joseph Henry; Woods, J. A.; Wylde, Charles Sydenham;; Wylie

PLATFORM AND STAGE.

Engagement of the Chicago Ladies' Quartette—Concerts Directed by Mr. Buck.

Music Dedicated to Bandmaster Finn—Musical Attraction for the Celebration.

The Chicago Ladies' Quartette, now in its fourth year, has been engaged for five entertainments in this city—a sacred concert on Sunday, the 20th instant, and a secular concert the following evening. Mary B. Weaver, the first soprano and whistler of the club, is the lady who won such distinction in the musical festival at the World's Fair. With her are Edith Bushee (contralto), Elizabeth Ludwig (mezzo-soprano and solo pianiste), Alice Merrill Raymond (phenomenal alto-soloist and musical director), and Cordelia Neltnor, "the queen of impersonators." The quartette is under the management of H. B. Thearle—in itself a guarantee of real merit.

An extremely interesting as well as musically excellent programme is that to be presented at Institute hall next Wednesday evening by the Victoria choral society, under the direction of Mr. W. Edgar Buck. Rehearsals have been frequent and, what is more to the point, thorough, and there is every promise of a treat in this the first concert of the society. The first half of the evening will be devoted to Niels W. Gade's beautiful cantata, "The Erl King's Daughter," Miss Heathfield singing the Daughter's part, Mrs. Rickaby that of the Mother, and Mr. J. G. Brown being heard as Sir Olaf. The music throughout is charming, and the poetry of the cantata fascinating and full of legendary beauty. Part II of the programme is made up of miscellaneous musical numbers as below:

Part Song—"The Belfry Tower," (S.A.T.B.) .....Hatton
Victoria Choral Society.
Chorus—"The Lost Chord," (S.S.A.A.) .....Anderson, Sullivan
The Ladies of the Choral Society.
Violin Solo—"Allegro Appassionata," .....Mendelssohn
Mr. Victor Austin.
Duet—"L'Addio," .....Donizetti
Miss Nellie Devereux, Mr. W. Edgar Buck.
Part Song—"The Cruiskeen Lawn," (S.A.T.B.B) .....Sir R. P. Stewart
Victoria Choral Society.
Piano Solo—"Impromptu Brillante," .....Rubinstein
Miss Agnes Dawson.
Trio—"The Gipsies' Laughing Song," ....Glover
Mrs. D. R. Harris, Miss Jameson, Mr. W. E. Buck.
Chorus—"The Miller's Wooing," (S.A.T.B.) .....Eaton Faning
Victoria Choral Society.

On Thursday week (May 17), Professor Buck presents another musical programme also of sterling merit—this time at the Metropolitan Methodist church—when Mendelssohn's "Hear My Prayer," with a number of selections from the "Creation" (Haydn) will be given, there being fifty good voices in the chorus, and thoroughly competent soloists, among whom may be mentioned Madame Laird, Misses Wey, Jamieson and Devereux, and Messrs. Aspland and Brown. The tickets are already on sale.

Two of the latest of Harry M. Stoel's publications for the pianoforte are the Spanish "Dance of the Lilies," and the concert polonaise "Le Croix d'Honneur," which latter is dedicated to Mr. J. M. Finn, leader of the B. C. B. G. A. band. Mr. Finn is arranging the polonaise for military band production, and it will be given in this city at an early date.

"The Marriage of the Lily and the Rose," which was sung here several months ago by the Putnam sisters and is now the great rage in the East, has been received by Messrs. M. W. Waitt & Co. It is prettily put together, catchy and infinitely more melodious than "Daisy Bell," of which it is the immediate successor in popular favor.

Lovers of good music accept with pleasure the announcement of a public concert by the popular Arion club, to form part of the Queen's Birthday celebration programme, and be given at Institute hall on the evening of the 25th. The programme, now in preparation, is a splendid one.

FIRE UNDERWRITERS.

Annual Meeting of the British Columbia Board—Election of Officers for the Year.

The annual meeting of the B. C. Board of Fire Underwriters was held yesterday at the office of the secretary, Mr. J. G. Elliott, in the Five Sisters block. There were present the following members:

VANCOUVER—H. T. Ceperly, A. A. Boak, W. E. Gravely, A. N. Smith, C. F. Yates, J. J. Banfield and G. W. Hobson, inspector.
WESTMINSTER—A. W. Ross, F. J. Hart and C. R. Townley, inspector.
NANAIMO—A. E. Planta.
VICTORIA—Richard Hall, H. F. Heisterman, J. C. Maclure, A. W. Jones, J. St. Clair Blackett, B. Boggs, J. Holland, H. M. Yates, H. M. Graham, H. Croft, A. W. More, C. E. Nicholson, R. S. Day, J. J. Austin, H. G. Ross, L. H. Jenns and J. G. Elliott, inspector and secretary of the board.

The meeting opened in the forenoon with the president, Mr. R. Hall, in the chair, and continued all day with a recess for lunch, the business being finally completed by half-past five.

It was decided that the home companies be requested to approve of a uniform mortgage clause to be used by all the companies doing business in the province. Another important matter taken up was the advisability of a uniform policy for insuring electric light and power plant, and finally it was decided to appoint Messrs. H. T. Ceperley, J. J. Banfield, H. F. Heisterman and H. G. Ross a committee to draw up a form of policy to be submitted to the board for approval at a later date.

The rating of sawmills was, after discussion, finally dropped, it being decided to leave matters as heretofore.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Mr. H. T. Ceperley, Vancouver; first vice-president, C. E. Woods, Westminster; second vice-president, Mr. J. C. Maclure (Robert Ward & Co., Ltd.) Victoria; secretary and treasurer, C. R. Townley, Westminster. Executive committee:—Victoria, C. E. Dickenson, J. StClair Blackett and J. Holland; Vancouver, C. F. Yates, A. H. Smith, A. A. Boak; Westminster, A. W. Ross, F. J. Hart and T. R. Pearson; Nanaimo, J. M. Rudd, Marcus Wolff and A. E. Planta.

The next annual meeting will be held at Vancouver.

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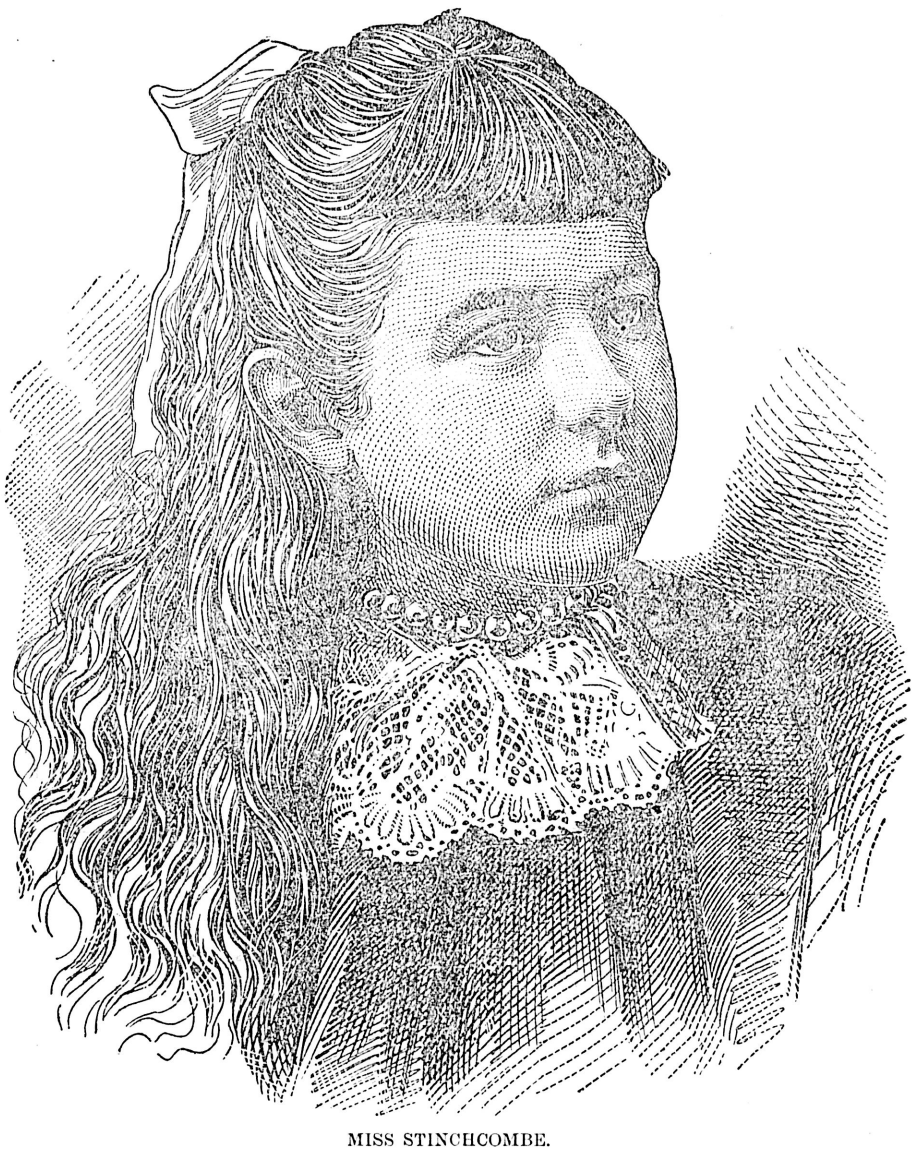

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Estate of E. Bloomingdale, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims against the Estate are hereby required to send in the particulars thereof to the under-signed, on or before the 15th day of May next, after which date the Executors will distribute the assets of the Testator, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice

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Dated the 27th day of April, 1894.
ap28 H. G. LEWIS, Executor.

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Commencing May 2nd, passengers for Trail Creek, Nakusp, New Denver, Revelstoke and all points on the Canadian Pacific Railway will leave Spokane on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 7 a.m., connecting at Northport with steamer (same day) at 1 p.m.
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NOTICE
The Victoria-Phœnix Brewing Co. hereby beg to give notice that their Beer Pumps are only to be used in drawing the Company's beer.
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NOTICE.
Having received notice from the Dominion Government that the Trade Marks blown into our bottles were Registered on April 9, inst., we hereby beg to give notice that those bottles can only be used by the Victoria-Phœnix Brewing Company. Any person found trafficking in or using these bottles in their business will be prosecuted according to the act.
By order of the
ap19 VICTORIA-PHŒNIX BREWING CO'Y.

RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 20.

To take effect at 8 00 a.m. on Friday, Apr 27th 1894. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND (Read Up) No. 1 Pass'r. Daily		No. 3 Pass'r. Fr. Sa. Su.	STATIONS.	Mls. from Vic	NORTH BOUND (Read Down.) No. 2 Pass'r. Daily		No. 4 Pass'r. Fr. Sa. Su.
P.M.		P.M.			A.M.		P.M.
Ar. 12.20		Ar. 8.00	Victoria	78	Lv. 9.00		Lv. 3.04
" 12.20		" 7.55	Russell's	77	" 9.05		" 3.08
" 12.10		" 7.48	Esquimalt	74	" 9.15		" 3.16
" 11.45		" 7.28	Goldstream	67	" 9.39		" 3.36
" 11.10		" 6.50	Summit Siding	58	" 9.44		" 4.00
" 10.50		" 6.37	Shawnigan Lake	50	" 9.51		" 4.17
" 10.40		" 6.27	Cowichan	47	" 9.57		" 4.25
" 10.27		" 6.15	McPhee's Bill	43	" 10.07		" 4.37
" 10.17		" 6.05	Koksilah	38	" 10.12		" 4.40
" 10.12		" 6.00	Duncan's	33	" 10.20		" 4.50
" 10.02		" 5.52	Somenos	25	" 10.28		" 5.01
" 9.32		" 5.22	Chemainus	36	" 10.45		" 5.12
" 9.15		" 5.15	Oyster Bay Siding	19	" 11.00		" 5.49
Ar. 8.35		Lv. 4.42	Nanaimo	5	Lv. 11.50		" 6.22
Lv. 8.10		Lv. 4.30	Wellington	—	Ar. 12.14		Ar. 6.31
A.M.		P.M.			P.M.		P.M.

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11.45 pm	28	. Port Townsend .	72	1.30 pm
3.00 am	82	..... Seattle.....	28	10.15 am
4.45 am	110	Ar. *...Tacoma....Lv	M1	8.01 am

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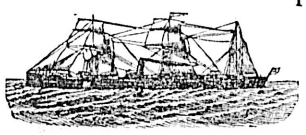

SAILINGS AS FOLLOWS:

Parisian	May 19
Oregon	May 19
Lake Superior	May 23
Campania	May 19
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Paris	May 16
Aller	May 19
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TIME TABLE NO. 22
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LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.
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For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.
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The Colonist.

SUNDAY, MAY 6 1894.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, May 6, 1894.

Sun rises.... 4:32 a.m. | Sun sets .... 7:21 p.m.
Moon rises... 4:45 a.m. | Moon sets... 9:38 p.m.
Day of year—126th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. slower than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, May 5, 1894.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m	44°	Mean 45°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	43°		
9 a. m..	42°	Highest 50°	5 a.m.—16 S.
1 p. m..	46°		1 p.m —8 S. E.
5 p. m..	49°	Lowest 41°	9 p.m.—16 S.
9 p. m..	43°		Rain—.52.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Sunshine, 2hr. 20 min.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. CITY OF SEATTLE, from the Sound—Geo Jones, wife and son, Mattie Smith, G Adams, W F Ollard, Jennie Phelps, A Swark, S C Spencer, Mrs Knight, Miss E Denny, Mary Alexander, Miss Evans, H J Hoosen, Geo Woods, Mrs L A Moore, D Rose and wife, W Bowen, J Martin, W J Lamb and wife, J C Calbreath.

Per Steamer PREMIER from Vancouver—A Carlson, T Halk, R selkirk, D J Harris, J Prior, G M Dillman, Geo S Roff, G J Jones, J W Whittier, H J Scott, R E Cooper, G A Ford, Sam Adler, Jas Inglis, Geo Mansbridge, W H Clark, R Fleming, Rev J M McLeod, C M McLean, J W Stearn, J W Stearn Jr, A K Stearn.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. CITY OF SEATTLE from the Sound—Pither & L, Wm Tiegen, G Torsdale, Major Peason, R McNich, J G Hutchenson, Werks & R, Winch & B, F R Stewart, Sin on Leiser, Geo T Corfield, Chas T Spratt, Hud Bay Co, S Leiser & Co, D H Ross & Co, Mrs D D Daniel, Major & P, F Caine, W H Clark, B Van Volkenburgh.

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DIED.

TRAVIS—At his mother's residence, 15 Princess avenue, on the 4th instant, William Antonio, eldest son of the late Augustus and Julia Travis, aged 33 years.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY (Sunday) at 2 o'clock from the residence as above, and at the Reformed Episcopal church at 2:30 p.m.

(Seattle papers please copy.)

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, May 5.—Mr. Jennings' plans for the proposed Fraser river bridge have arrived.

A report from up the river says Coquitlam Charley and another Indian made an attempt to drown a Siwash belonging to Harrison river, who was only saved by the assistance of friends. The officers are after the guilty parties.

The Yale Gold Dredging Co. have begun to build another larger and more powerful dredging machine, which will cost $30,000 The dredger at Emory bay, four miles from Yale, is reaping rich returns.

Joe Lee, of Steveston, one of the oldest fishermen on the river, was found dead in bed this morning at 3 o'clock. He retired at the usual hour last night, in good health and spirits. His wife awakened at the hour named and was horror-struck to find her husband dead. The deceased was only married three weeks ago. He was 50 years of age. Heart disease is believed to have been the cause of death.

The Municipal Council of Chilliwack are endeavoring to have the Chilliwack Railway Co. reduce the rate of interest which the municipality is asked to guarantee on the bonds of the company. The proposition made by the company is that the municipality guarantee interest at the rate of five per cent. for twenty-five years on bonds of the railway to the amount of $7,000 per mile. The Council fears that unless the rate of interest asked is reduced the people will not ratify the by-law.

SIDNEY.

SIDNEY, May 5.—The Sidney mill is sending its first shipment of lumber to Victoria.

W. R. Armstrong has been appointed a justice of the peace for North Victoria Electoral District. The appointment is received with favor.

The beautiful park adjoining the railway station has been cleaned and generally improved, and a commodious platform erected thereon by the railway company.

A. G. Day has his large boat-house nearly completed, and his boats will arrive in a few days.

Trustees for the new Sidney school district will be elected to-day.

O. H. Coyswell is erecting a fine dwelling house on his acre plot, fronting on Beacon avenue.

J. T. McIlmoyle, one of the delegates to the annual grand lodge of the A. O. U. W., is going to the Mainland next week to attend the meeting.

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VANCOUVER'S MEETING.

Premier Davie Addresses an Influential and Enthusiastic Gathering of Government Supporters.

A Candid and Cogent Speech—The First Minister Warmly Welcomed and Applauded.

There was a very large attendance at the meeting of supporters of the government at the central committee rooms, Vancouver, on Thursday night. Ex-Mayor Oppenheimer presided, and as the Premier entered the room he was received with hearty cheers. After the chairman had warmly welcomed Hon. Mr. Davie, General Secretary J. D. Byrne submitted a series of questions of special importance to the city of Vancouver, asking the action of the government with respect to them.

Hon. Mr. Davie, who was loudly cheered, referred to the fact of the meeting representing all classes, saying all that he did ask and would ask was fair play. He knew, he continued, that the questions which were agitating the public mind only required elucidation to bring about the government's vindication. Less than three months ago the opposition had boasted that the government dared not show its head in Vancouver, and, a year ago, that it was doomed to destruction, because it dare not bring in a redistribution bill and live. Never was there a more dumb lot of adversaries than they were when they found that the government would not only bring down a just and acceptable measure of redistribution, but was able to carry it through. He referred to the offers made by the opposition to the representatives of the Islands, Alberni and Cariboo, that they would remain untouched if they would help defeat the government. Notwithstanding these obstacles, however, the government had carried out what it had said it was prepared to do. It brought in a fair measure of distribution, and the representatives of the constituencies mentioned, he was glad to say, were loyal to the best interests of the province and voted for an honest bill. No one could say that a just and reasonable measure of redistribution had not been brought in. He felt very hopeful of government success in the coming contest. If good sound common sense were given a chance to prevail, then the government were safe. As in the past, so in the future the government would be found dealing fairly with the city of Vancouver. (Loud cheers.)

Having answered in detail the several questions of local importance which were submitted to him, Hon. Mr. Davie went on to say that it was due to them and to himself to arm those present with the weapons with which to meet the attacks of those who were going about misrepresenting the government's policy and actions. As regards the Nakusp & Slocan railway, for instance, to meet the wishes of many who wished to study the matter pamphlets had been issued giving all the facts. The government, he continued, in guaranteeing the interest as it had done would make a saving in 25 years of more than $600,000 over what it would have cost to have guaranteed the interest alone on the original proposal of $25,000 a mile at 4 per cent. interest, but as against the government's guarantee there had been put up $118,000 in cash, and the government were to receive 40 per cent. of the gross of earnings of the road, so that it is considered the government would have nothing to pay. It was the point of the opposition to create confusion, and then, claiming that $17,500 was more than the cost of the road, to assert that there had been boodling and corruption.

The Government asked why not have a committee of inquiry; but the Opposition had declared it would only be a whitewash. When the Government found that the Opposition were not going to do anything they determined to take the matter in hand and call for a Royal commission, so that there would be no excuse for saying that politics had anything to do with the investigation. This was a bomb shell in the Opposition camp. Their policy of confusion was worthless in face of a complete and impartial examination. Their principle gun was spiked.

In regard to the public debt, Mr. Davie said that when the government to which Mr Beaven belonged wanted to raise $30,000 they could find no one to give it them. Mr. De Cosmos, however, got it from Sir James Douglas at 8 per cent., getting himself 5 per cent. for his trouble. The next loan was got at 6 per cent.; the Smithe government raised money at 4½ per cent. and two years ago Hon. Mr. Turner, minister of finance, eclipsed all previous efforts by floating a loan at three per cent. interest, the bonds selling at 83, equivalent to selling the bonds at par carrying from 3½ to 3¾ per cent.

Hon. Mr. Davie concluded: "Who had succeeded in bringing the credit of the province to so high a pitch that it stands now second among all colonial securities of the world? Not the opposition surely. On the other hand they have done all in their power to injure the credit of the country Have they unfolded anything that indicates that they intend to do any better? No, whatever semblance of a policy they have indicates that they would do worse. The people in this respect will do well to stick to the bridge that has carried them over. The government have done well in the past and are prepared to do even better in the future, and the people will support a fair state of things rather than seek to bring about a public calamity."

Hon. Mr. Davie invited the electors to visit the committee rooms, saying a quantity of campaign literature had been prepared to meet the attacks of the opposition made in the house, but they, finding themselves beaten would probably, between now and election day, hatch up fresh ones and go on from time to time as their calumnies were refuted. He concluded by expressing the hope to meet them all again before long.

The Premier's speech was heartily applauded during its delivery and when he sat down Hon. Mr. Davie was enthusiastically cheered.

On motion of ex-Ald. Costello, seconded by C. S. Douglas, a vote of thanks to the Premier for his able address was carried, the entire audience standing and cheering.

Subsequent to this highly successful meeting, Hon. Mr. Davie being approached by the chairman and vice-chairman of the Central Committee on the subject of the mortgage tax, said that it was the intention of the Government to meet the next house with a revised system of taxation, one of the features of which would be the repeal of this tax.

THE CITY HOUSE.

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WESTMINSTER CONVENTION.

The Premier on Mr. Brown's Retirement—Mr. Curtis Chosen As the Candidate of the Ministerialists.

At the meeting of supporters of the Ministerial party held in the central committee rooms, Westminster, on Wednesday evening last, under the chairmanship of Mr. James Cunningham, as already reported in the COLONIST, Mr. D S. Curtis was chosen as the party candidate for the representation of New Westminster.

Secretary Leamy read the minutes of the last meeting, in the course of which it was stated that several local men had been spoken of as prospective candidates, while there was a strong desire that Hon. Mr. Davie would consent to receive the nomination and be elected member for New Westminster city.

Hon. Mr. Davie arose amidst loud applause, and assured his hearers of his high appreciation of the honor. Advances had first been made to him some months since, and he had at that time been favorably disposed to the nomination, with Mr. J. C. Brown for an opponent. But that gentleman having since retired from provincial politics, he (Mr. Davie) felt that he would not like to place himself in a position where opponents could say that he had become a candidate after his chief antagonist was out of the way. The government had been blamed by the opposition for the retirement of Mr. Brown, but he could assure all present that neither he nor any of his colleagues had moved either directly or indirectly to bar Mr. Brown from the legislature. They could very easily have done so by adding a few lines to the election act, barring Dominion officials from seats in the legislature, a rule that has long been in force in Ontario and Quebec, and no doubt all the other provinces. It was, on the contrary, a fact that the members of the government were well satisfied to have Mr. Brown continue in the house, for they must expect to have an opposition to contend with, and no opposition could be weaker than that of Mr. Brown, unless perhaps it was that of Mr. Beaven. It wasn't for lack of ability, but because of traits of character that rendered them perfectly unable to attach or to hold followers.

The Premier continued that he was well assured that whoever was chosen by this meeting to be its candidate would have very little difficulty in winning an easy victory. He spoke at length on the Nakusp and Slocan Railway guarantee, saying that in view of the facts no one not intentionally unreasonable would accuse the government of paying too dear for the road. But the opposition, without a shadow of proof and contrary to all the evidence, had in a covert way sought by miserable inuendo to create the impression that the ministers of the Crown had been guilty of dishonesty in the transaction. The government invited inquiry, but that was not the purpose of the opposition, for they knew that inquiry would show the falsity of the insinuations advanced. Finally, one opposition member, more indiscreet than the others, committed himself to a definite accusation, and the government were prompt to seize the opportunity to move for a royal commission to investigate the baseless charges. This action fell like a bolt in the opposition camp, and an attempt was made to distort the scope of the commission so as to destroy the whole purport of the inquiry. But the government was not to be thrown off with a red herring, and a full investigation would be gone into before the commission that would settle for ever the truth or falsehood of the accusations made by the opposition. The members of the government courted rigid inquiry. (Loud cheers.)

Breckenridge Confesses.

LEXINGTON, May 5.—At the solicitation of a prominent Presbyterian gentleman Colonel Breckenridge to-day confessed his sins before the officers and pastor of Mt. Horeb Presbyterian church of this country, which was founded by his father, Robt. J. Breckenridge. He kept back nothing from the representatives of the church and asked their forgiveness of his sins. The officers will consider the matter for some time before any action will be taken It had been reported that Col. Breckenridge had been expelled from the church, which report was not true.

Coxey at the Old Stand.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—"Showman" Coxey took out his third day's license for the exhibition of his Commonwealers to-day and seems to find the present location sufficiently convenient to induce him to continue at the same spot. He is preparing to remove some of the objections which would bring down upon him the strong arm of the authorities within forty-eight hours.

Killed in Self Defence.

INGERSOLL, May 5.—Last night while a young man, named Harry Aldwood, was returning from escorting a young lady home, he was attacked by a mob, which pelted him with stones. Aldwood, in defence, it is believed, struck one of the young men, named McDermott, with a stone or something of the kind, which knocked him insensible. McDermott was taken as quickly as possible to his home, where he lived but a very short time. Aldwood is now under arrest.

Mrs. H. Kosche, the ladies' hair dresser, has on hand the finest face powders and paints, curling and waving irons, at No. 31 Government street. Ladies' and children's hair cutting, shampooing, manicuring, and all kinds of hair work done to order. Theatrical wigs for hire. Faces fixed up.

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NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between M. G. Drummond and F. L. M. Beaumont, carrying on business as Stock-raisers, under the firm name of Beaumont & Drummond, at Chilcotin, British Columbia, was on the 15th November, 1893, dissolved by mutual consent.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

MONDAY, MAY 14TH, 1894.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, dated 25th October, 1893, sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on MONDAY, MAY 14th, 1894, for the purchase of the following property situate on Victoria Arm, adjoining the residence of James Dunsmuir, Esq., viz.:

LOTS 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 AND 13, BLOCK 8, AND PART OF BLOCK 19, BLOCK O, CONSTANCE COVE FARM (ON MAP 382) AND RESIDENCE THEREON.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For particulars apply to

J. C. MACLURE,
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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

Separate tenders are invited up to the 15th May, instant, for the purchase of each of the following properties, viz.:

1. Two lots on the north side of Yates street, between Cook street and Comosan street, and known as Lots 5 and 6, being portions of Sections 17, 18, 19 and 20, Spring Ridge, according to Map No 151, deposited in the Victoria Land Registry Office, on which there is a two-storey dwelling house, formerly occupied by F. G. Richards, jr. Lot 5 is 60x129 feet, and Lot 6, 60x127 feet.

This property is offered for sale under the power of sale in a mortgage registered in the said Registry Office in Charge Book Vol. 9, Fol. 436, No. 9873B.

2. Two lots situate on the north side of North Park street, between Quadra street and Cook street, containing 50 feet by 140 feet each, and known as Subdivisions 14 and 15 of Suburban Five-Acre Lots 8 and 13, Victoria City, on which there is a dwelling house, formerly occupied by J. C. Devlin.

This property is offered for sale under the power of sale in a mortgage registered in the said Registry Office in Charge Book Vol. 10, Fol. 85, No. 11091B.

The right to reject all or any tender is reserved.

Tenders to be sent to

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

Under instructions from the mortgagee, and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage, bearing date the 18th day of October, 1891, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 noon, on Thursday, the 31st day of MAY, 1894, for the purchase of Sections 3 and 4, Range IV., and the north 50 acres of Section 2, Range IV., Quamichan District.

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ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

I am instructed to sell at my salesrooms, Wharf street, Victoria, B.C., the hull of the iron ship "Archer," 100 A1 at Lloyd's; 789 tons register; length 189 feet, beam 32 feet depth 18.7, as she now lies dismasted in Esquimalt Harbor.

Also new and old ropes, 2 sails, tarpaulins, chronometers, compasses, barometers, ship's boat, flags, blocks, hemp canvas, telescopes, charts, sailing directions, side and riding lights, tools, etc.

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Wednesday, May 23, at 11 a.m.

Valuable Freehold Property

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All those pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in Victoria District, now City of Victoria, B.C., being portions of Divisions Two and Three of Section 19 in the said District, as shown on the plan filed in the office of the Registrar-General of Titles at Victoria, which said pieces or parcels of land are more particularly described in a certain indenture of conveyance, registered in Victoria 21st January, 1892, in Ab Fee Book, vol. 13, folio 223, No. 13383a.

This property contains 30 acres, more or less, and is about two miles from the post office. There is a fine, roomy dwelling house on the property containing 8 rooms, extensive stables, outhouses and a good orchard of about three-quarters of an acre of apples, plums, pears and cherries, etc.

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